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News Notes

Rapid progress is being made in laying the drain pipe along Broadway.

A large number of local baseball fans last Tuesday at Lethbridge watched the House of David team win from the Cubs with a 9-2 score. The "Whiskerites" are real ball players.

Glenn Miller of Magrath and Miss Fisher of Hillspring, winners in the public speaking contests held here recently, are competing in the church contests in Salt Lake City.

The Recorder was misinformed regarding the near-drowning of Rube Snow last week. Rube says the account was a terminological inexactitude in that it was not he, but young Bascom, who had the narrow escape.

A lecture on "Personal Efficiency" will be delivered by Dr. J. B. Smith, in the Second Ward Chapel next Thursday, June 16th. All are invited. Admission is free.

Frank Rolfsen returned last week from his fourth annual tour of Canada and the U. S. He will attend all ball games here this season.

The Lethbridge Miners are expected here in a league fixture next Wednesday.

Dr. J. B. Smith, representative of Chicago, will deliver a free lecture on "Personal Efficiency" in the Second Ward Chapel next Thursday. All are invited.

The Raymond Robins salted down the first league game of the season last Monday when they battled their way to a 7-3 victory over the Magrath Mackerels in an interesting set-to. Having lost their old reliable moundsman, Joe Tufteland, to Spring Coulee, the invaders were forced to depend on Skinny Minion, whose offerings were easily found by the local sluggers. As will be seen from the following lineup only four old-timers appeared on the Raymond team. Perron c., McNight and Nalder p., Kosko lb., Brewerton 2b., Scott 3b. Paris ss., Workman, Gilbert and Rolfsen f. Features of the game were, the receiving of Perron, a three-bagger by Brewerton, the mound work of Nalder and McKnight, the spiking of Kosko. Scott and Perron by a Mackerel runner in one journey around the bases.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brewerton arrived here from Sunburst last Monday. Gordon and his brother Lee motored to Cardston where the former will take over the management of the Palace theatre.

Tomorrow! Don't forget the M Men's opening ball game, Saturday at 6.15. Dance at the Opera House at 9. Gentlemen \$1.00. Ladies free.

N. C. Jeffery has accepted a position with the Canadian Sugar Factories.

Dance! Saturday night, tomorrow, at the Opera House. Gentlemen \$1.00. Ladies free. Baseball game, First vs. Second Ward M Men at 6.15. Everybody come.

Among those attending the Salt Lake City conference are Pres. H. S. Allen, Mrs. C. W. Stone and Mrs. L. D. King.

Holding Good Stand Is Very Important

It takes a good stand to make a good crop at harvest. The average germination stand on a beet field in a normal season, if properly handled, would produce much larger tonnage than is finally harvested as a rule. What is the trouble and what is the solution for it?

There are numerous ways in which beets are destroyed after they come up. Horses step on them, cultivators cut them out, hand workers hoe them out, weeders pull them up, disease and "infant mortality" take their toll.

Therefore, when we have prepared a good seed bed, when there has been sufficient moisture to germinate a good stand, and when time for thinning and blocking has arrived, the fight to harvest a good stand just begins.

We should not be satisfied with merely a good job of thinning and blocking. That is important, certainly. Every effort should be made to get the hand labor to leave the big beets, to space 12 inches apart in the rows (you may have to insist on about 10 inches to get a 12 to 14 inch stand,) and the old practice of "butehering" the young plants must be forevermore stopped.

But with a fair job of thinning and spacing finished comes the danger of tearing up beets in the cultivations and weeding, irrigations drowning some, or drouth killing the weaker ones, roots hitting air pockets in poorly prepared seed beds, numerous other causes of mortality in the stand. When the cultivator tools get into the rows for a distance of several feet before the damage is discovered the percentage of beets per hundred feet receives a shock.

Or to go back a bit and ask what happens when the thinned young beets are left with roots exposed by failure to get the earth back around the seedlings. Some die, and what was apparently a properly spaced stand is starting on the road to a poor stand at harvest time.

Beets harvested, is the point to keep foremost in all this discussion of improving a stand. You may start with a good germination, you may have done a fair job of thinning and blocking, but if for any reason there are fewer beets growing in the rows at harvest time than the fertility of the soil would support you have lost tonnage. Often from the highway in midseason you see beet fields with healthy foliage which covers the rows and gives outward promise of a big yield. But in many cases a close inspection of the field discloses open spaces in the rows. Too often half of the field is growing nothing.

Somehow we have got to get this idea of saving every possible beet for the harvest time into the minds of those who ride the drill, handle the hoe, guide the cultivator and oversee the workers. Only by everyone concerned with the beet crop realizing the need of saving a good stand until the roots are dug will the possibilities be in a fair way of being realized.

It is especially important this spring to preserve the stand as in some patches it has been dangerously reduced by the heavy crust from recent rains.

Raymond lost to Spring Coulee last Wednesday. Score:—
Raymond - - 1
Spring Coulee



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Choice Santos Coffee per lb 40c
Corn Flakes 10c
Buffalo Water Softener 2 for 35c
Icing Sugar per lb 10c
Lux Soap 6 for 45c
Shredded Wheat 2 for 25c
Lux per pkg 10c

The Broadway Store

Your Interest is Our Interest

PHONE 2

For Saturday's Business

A list of Real Money Savers

P & G Soap 22 bars for 98c
Fresh Crisp Corn Flakes 10c
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Beans with Pork, large size 12c
Juicy Oranges per doz 25c
Fresh Rhubarb 4 lbs for 25c
Cottage Roll, fresh, per lb 27c
3 Cups and 3 Saucers, Clover Leaf, special 35c
14-Qt. Galvanized Pails each 38c
16-Qt. Galvanized Pails, each 49c

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Raymond Progressing

Another evidence of our forward advance is in the coming of a lecture course to our people on SELF-MASTERY Through KNOWLEDGE. This is what we have been wanting and it is now here.

Beginning June 16th at the Raymond 2nd Ward Chapel is a FREE lecture on "PERSONAL EFFICIENCY" to which the public are cordially invited.

Dr. J. B. Smith, Representative of Chicago

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The Other Fellow's Viewpoint

In this year of Canada's Diamond Jubilee, when the thoughts of its people are being turned backward sixty years and they contemplate the truly marvellous change that has taken place, one great lesson, and the outstanding achievement of Confederation, stands out prominently. A review of the years clearly demonstrates that Canada's material growth and development have been made possible because, to an ever increasing extent as the years have passed, the people of the Dominion have cultivated a spirit of good will toward each other.

Confederation had many obstacles to remove many difficulties to overcome, physical, geographical, financial, but the one problem that had to be solved, and facing which all others could not be surmounted, was to achieve a union of the two races, French and English speaking, to create a feeling of respect and toleration for each other on the part of Roman Catholic and Protestant. To a large extent this has been accomplished, and to it Canada today owes its strength and prosperity.

The citizenship of Canada can render no more fitting or valuable service to their country, can make no greater Jubilee contribution to its welfare and progress, than to further develop this spirit of toleration and good-will, truly by so doing can peace be maintained and strife eliminated from our midst, only so can effective co-operation be maintained in the maintenance and development of such relations alone can be found the essentials of a true national spirit.

Studying conditions in other countries, one is happy to note in Canada today an absence of those suspicions, bitter feelings and lack of appreciation of the opinions of others, which appear rather general in other lands. This is not to say there is an entire absence of such animosities in Canada. They do prevail to some extent, but the better, nobler, to the aims of mankind are uppermost.

For example, if the Russian people desire a communist form of government, that is their own business and Canada and Britain have no desire to interfere. But Russia should display the same attitude towards other countries, and not try to subvert the citizens of friendly countries from loyalty to their respective governments. The disclosure that Russia is using the diplomatic immunity accorded her representatives in other countries in an endeavor to overthrow their form of government is revolting to every sense of decency and fair play.

While deploring some of the methods adopted to promote national feeling in China, one cannot but sympathize with the aspirations of the Chinese people. Foreign rights must be respected in China as in other countries, but there should be no interference in China's right to freely determine its national life and form of government. One can perhaps better appreciate and sympathize with the Chinese viewpoint if we could visualize Buddhist priests establishing missions throughout Western Canada and opening Sunday schools to teach our children the tenets of the Buddhist religion. Would the Christian churches in Canada acquiesce in this?

Oh imagine, whole sections of Vancouver, Victoria, and other cities set aside as Chinese or Japanese possessions where their laws governed and their trade was supreme. Would Canadians accept such a state of affairs? Rather, do we not even object to individual Chinese and Japanese competing on even terms with our own people?

Reference is made to these rather strong cases, not to pass judgment in regard to them, but to point the moral of this article, viz., that what is needed in the world today is more sympathy and less bitterness; more tolerance and less prejudice; more respect for and less suspicion of each other; more cooperation and less striving at cross purposes.

And what the whole world needs is, when Canada might, in this Jubilee year, dedicate itself to achieve to the fullest degree for our own people and Dominion. Respect for each other's opinions and convictions, recognition of the other fellow's good qualities, a willingness to meet others half way in the solution of community and national problems, a realization that we all are Canadians with a common interest in the Dominion and its welfare and a common duty and responsibility to it to discourage

Plows With Manless Tractor

Spectators Marvel at Machine Used in Test Near Lincoln, Nebraska

A "manless" tractor, controlled by an electric device, plowed a field in Nebraska successfully before a crowd of farmers, professors of agriculture and business men.

Incited by a human hand, except when the first furrow was plowed to make a guide row, the machine, equipped with an automatic guide invented by P. L. Zibach, of Grand Island, Neb., plowed a 20-acre field on the College of Agriculture farm of the University of Nebraska, near Lincoln.

The tractor runs in an irregular circle, rounding the corners. Except for replenishing the gasoline and oil, it needs no attention. The electric control stops the machine should it leave the furrow, and when the work is completed.

The invention first was tried in 1921, Zibach said. Throwing a plow, he attached his device to his tractor, filled the machine with gasoline and turned it loose.

Swollen Joints, Quickly Limbered Up

Rub On Nerviline

You would be surprised at the wonderful action of "Nerviline" in such cases. Being thin and not an oil preparation, it is able to penetrate quickly, and down it slugs into the tissues, carrying its healing, soothing action wherever it goes. For stopping muscular or nerve pain, for easing a stiff joint, Nerviline is a complete success. Pain, stiffness, numbness all vanish before the magic power of this wonderful ointment. Nearly fifty years of success proves the merit of Nerviline, which is sold everywhere in large 25-cent bottles.

Ancient Canoe Unearthed

An old canoe, nine feet long, and estimated to be from four to ten thousand years old, has been unearthed on the south bank of the River Tyne, near Byre. It is in an excellent state of preservation, and has been placed in the Hancock Museum, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

WEAK, LISTLESS GIRLS

Need Such a Tonic as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to Restore Health

When a girl has weak, listless, pale and yellow, especially if at the same time she shows inclination to the easily, a listlessness and inattention to her work or studies, she needs Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a tonic which directly and specifically corrects the condition from which she is suffering. A chemical analysis of the blood of such a girl would show it to be deficient in just the elements Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can supply. But an analysis of the blood is not needed; the physical signs are plain.

Among these signs are a pallor of the cheeks and lips, dark circles under the eyes, easily tired and headache after slight exertion. Poor appetite, headache, and sometimes fainting spells follow; often the patient is nervous and is startled at the least noise. In all run-down conditions there is no other tonic will build you up so quickly and so surely as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The statement of Miss Dorothy Lundin, Bush Island, N.S., will bring home to other weak girls. She says: "I wish from my heart I could persuade every person who is in a run-down condition to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. About a year ago I was a weak girl, suffering from impoverished blood and a run-down system, with many of the attendant symptoms. I had often read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to take them, and after using six boxes I feel as well and strong as ever. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will be my standby in the future if ever my blood needs building up again, and I shall always find pleasure in recommending them to others."

You can get these pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from "The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

Scientists are endeavoring to do something when civilization began. They might also put in a little time determining when it is going to begin again.

Children Cry For "Castoria"

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Mother, Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years to relieve babies and children of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind, Colic and Diarrhea, allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and, by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving natural sleep without opiates.

The genuine bears signature of *Charles H. Fletcher.*

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Write The Borden Co. Limited, Montreal, for Feeding Chart, Baby Welfare Booklet and Best Baby Book.

Borden's EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK

Spends Ninety-Eighth Birthday in Prison

"Lifer" Who Refused Pardon Has Served Twenty-Seven Years

"Old Charlie" Lindwall, the oldest prisoner in Joliet Penitentiary and possibly the oldest in the country observed his ninety-eighth birthday just as he had observed every milestone since 1900 and he probably will observe every anniversary until he receives the pardon of death.

Lindwall, sentenced to the penitentiary for life in 1900 for murder, which he always denied committing, refused pardon a few years ago, maintaining he was too old to face the world. At the time he was sentenced the Court told him that his age alone had saved him from the gallows. Since then the Judge and most of the jurors have died, but "Old Charlie," half blind, feeble and bowed with his years, has clung tenaciously to life.

The prison around the prison yard with no guard molesting him and no prisoner intruding upon his dwelling. At chapel services and for the weekly movie "Old Charlie" has a favored seat in the front row.

Machines Take Laborer's Place

Combines Do Work of Harvest Hands in U.S. Grain Belt

Combines, squat, whirling machines that creep slowly across the limitless acres of waving wheat, will this summer do the work of 25,000 harvest hands, laborers imported each year from the east and north.

Therefore this season fewer college boys will earn money to pay for next year's schooling by shocking grain behind plowing binders or plucking grain from the header into mammoth threshers, and fewer thousands of men will converge in Kansas, in June, to spread over the country like locusts to live off the harvest.

The huge combine, drawn by a tractor, cuts a 36-foot swath, thrashes and sacks the grain and spreads the straw in its wake, all in one operation. One man drives the tractor, another runs the combine, and a third man feeds the sacked grain to the elevator in a truck. By this system the farmer can harvest 50 to 75 acres a day, against 20 acres a day under the old system when he had 20 harvest hands, who had to be fed and provided with lodgings.

Could Not Disclose Secret

Pioneer Mind Reader Unable to Explain Strange Power

Anna Eva Fay, pioneer mind reader of the stage, is dead. And the secret by means of which for nearly half a century she puzzled theatre audiences, kings, queens, men of letters and psychologists, gave with her to the grave. She died at her home in Melbourne, Mass. When the eyes of the aged woman closed for the last time she still had withheld explanation of how she had been able to tell her patrons and acquaintances with baffling accuracy time and again what was going on in their minds. She insisted that she herself didn't know how she did it.

The Good Old Days

A trip to the Old Country by air craft in 2 1/2 days is now a probability; one can talk on the telephone and see the party at the other end of the line, hundreds of miles away; the best music in the world can be picked out of the air by the mysterious device known as the radio, and messages are sent into remote regions by the same means; disease is being conquered and labor lightened by machinery -- and still they talk of "the good old days."

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Auto Salesman -- In this car you will feel perfectly at home.

Prospective Buyer -- Hum -- show me another one.

Minard's Liniment is reliable.

Our Canadian Climate

Nothing to Complain About When Compared With Other Countries

Snow and sleet and late seedling in the West, with cool showers in the East have set the pessimists to croaking about "Canada's late spring." But in the meantime these headlines were appearing in the press:

"Mississippi Floods; Thousands Homeless."

"Cyclone Hits Sydney; Heavy Damage."

"Floods in Aden."

"While Volcanoes Active."

"Mediterranean Storm."

"Illinois Cyclone."

"Earthquake in the Philippines."

"Tornado Sweeps Kansas."

So, after all, Canada is not so bad. Our winters may be rigorous, and our springs sometimes dubious, but taken all in all, and compared with other countries, our climate is as blessed as perhaps any in the world.

Progress of Sixty Years

Will be Strikingly Featured in Diamond Jubilee Celebration

It has been well observed that there could be few greater illustrations of the progress of sixty years in the realm of science than that afforded by one of the chief features in the celebration of the Diamond Jubilee. It is announced that the music of the great carillon of bells to be installed at Ottawa will be broadcast by radio to all parts of the world, and that the words of King George in reply to the playing of The National Anthem will be heard in Canada only three one hundredths of a second after they are uttered by him in London, England. It is certainly a marvellous triumph of scientific invention.

Milburn's Worm Powders are the medicine for children who are found suffering from the ravages of worms. They immediately after the stomachic conditions under which the worms subsist, and drive them from the system, and at the same time, they are tonic in their effect upon the digestive organs, restoring them to healthy operation and ensuring immunity from further disorders from such a cause.

Work of Colonization Associations

Expect to Locate 2,000 Families in West This Spring

April was the record month of the Canada Colonization Association when 110 families were settled upon 29,922 acres of land in the Prairie Provinces. This followed the previous best in March when 78 families were placed upon 18,195 acres. Altogether in the first four months of 1927 some 259 homestead families have been placed on 68,095 acres of land, previously idle, almost equally in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. By June 1st it is expected that there will be 2,000 families on 50,000 acres of land in Western Canada under the Act of colonization. As families average 5.7 individuals in the family this will mean the satisfactory farm placement of about 11,000 persons through the efforts of the Association.

Cuts and Bruises Disappear. When suffering from cuts, scratches, bruises, sprains, sore throat or chest and any similar ailment, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Its healing power is well known by every section of the community. A bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil should be in every medicine chest ready for the emergencies that may always be anticipated.

Pineapples may be ranked by the hundred thousand without attracting special attention; bananas are worth a few cents a bunch, and oranges are as cheap on the west coast of Africa.

The successful manufacturer has plenty of business on hand.



Firestone Dealers

Demonstrate This Extra Value

The Firestone Dealer in your locality will gladly explain to you the extra value of Gum-Dipping. He is prepared to demonstrate how the cords of the carcass are saturated in a rubber solution, insulating every fibre of every cord with rubber, which minimizes friction. Naturally, tires built of Gum-Dipped cords have extra carcass strength and stamina insuring longer wear.

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MOST MILES PER DOLLAR

Firestone

Firestone Builds the Only Gum-Dipped Tires

Aeroplane Service to Mine Field

A regular airplane service between Lac du Bonnet and Long and Alton Lakes is being undertaken this spring by the Western Canada Airways. The trip will be negotiated in 15 minutes, as against three days by canoe. The inauguration of a daily mail service to these mining fields is under consideration by the Government.

Heart Palpitation Dizzy, Sinking Spells

Mrs. M. A. Gagnon, Donaville, Alta., writes: "Some time ago I was very nervous, could not sleep at night, often had dizzy, sinking spells and palpitation of the heart, and was so run down I could not do my housework, but just leave everything and sit down."

I spent a lot of money using medicine from the doctor, but it did not do me any good.

At last a friend told me to use and after using a couple of boxes I was not the same woman. I began to feel so much better, and after a few more boxes I was in perfect health. I always recommend them to all those I know who are suffering from heart trouble.

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As a substitute for glass bottles, a London dairy is using containers made of a stout, transparent paper. When they are filled, they are brought together in the form of a cone and sealed with a metal clip. The breakage and loss of glass are saved by this plan, and the paper bottles are easily manufactured and sterilized.

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Colds · Headache · Neuritis · Lumbago
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Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Namely "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monacette, a division of Salicylic Acid, "A. S. A." While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer manufacture, to assist the public against imitations, the Tablets of Bayer Company will be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross."

FARMERS!

Minard's is good for colic, strains and collar bolts. Keep a bottle handy.

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United and Intelligent Action Will Be Needed To Stem Westward Migration of Rat

The press reports recently that a number of rats had been killed by farmers in Saskatchewan, sharply draws attention to two very interesting facts from an agricultural point of view, namely, that the Canadian west is one of the few agricultural areas in the world that is not over-run by these pests and secondly that no time should be lost for every farmer in the prairie provinces to take up this challenge by immediate and no uncertain precautionary action. The truth may as well be faced, says the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, namely, that the brown rat, native of China and scourge of all Europe, is seeking to add one more province of Canada to his habitat. Ever and anon he continues his westward march and it will require the most united and intelligent warfare to stem his migration.

There are two aspects to the threatened rat plague. First, he is a dread carrier of disease, particularly of the bubonic plague or "Black Death" and history tells us that in the fourteenth century some twenty-five million people died in Europe of this dread disease. Nor will it be forgotten that in 1907 there was an epidemic of the plague in India and 2,000,000 deaths are stated to have occurred. Second, there is the economic aspect. What does it cost to feed a rat? Enquiries were carried out in Europe in 1907 and the average annual loss caused by each rat in Great Britain was placed at \$1.80, in France \$1, and in Denmark, \$1.20. Like everything else there is little doubt that the high cost of rats has also gone up.

The genus Mus includes some 150 species of rats and mice but it is the common brown rat which has staged one of the greatest of all natural migrations, animal or human. His native country appears to have been in Western China and he has been fought in scores of countries, but still he moves onward conquering new territory. And it is little wonder that he has won in countless conflicts when one considers his prolific habits of breeding. Brown rats begin to breed at three or four months of age, they have from six to ten litters per year averaging ten each. A pair of rats breeding uninterruptedly for three years without any deaths to their progeny would result in that time in a colony of over 350 million rats.

Mice are bad enough, but the brown rat is infinitely worse and one can conjecture the toll he will take if he becomes firmly established in the greatest granary of the British Empire. A few years ago it was thought that the long hard winters of western Canada would prove a deterrent to colonization of that country by rats but they gradually migrated from the east and spread over southern Manitoba. Now they have reached the Qu'Appelle district of Saskatchewan, and they are known to have burrowed under a straw stack and found sufficient shelter for the winter.

The brown rat is omnivorous in his diet and eats anything edible, vegetable or animal, even leather and fabrics. It attacks poultry, destroying eggs and chickens; fish and fruit are equally acceptable with all kinds of meat, groceries and vegetables; it will eat its own weaker brothers and sisters if pressed for food and has not infrequently attacked helpless human beings. It visits sewers and other filthy places carrying and scattering the germs of disease.

The gopher is pest enough without this latest intruder which in its omnivorous habits and disease-carrying propensities ranks as far more dangerous. The whole of Canada should rise up and wipe out these pests and evidence is not lacking that the war is on in earnest in some municipalities, where bounties on rat tails have been announced. Individuals should not wait for a bounty, however, but should declare war on the first invasion of their territory and with widespread recognition of the danger and concerted action it ought to be possible for a young and vigorous country in which settlement is not too dense to win out, even though older and more thickly populated countries, hampered by ancient sanitary systems and less modern living conditions have failed.

For ten years after its construction in 1825, locomotives were not allowed to enter the Euston railway station in London for fear of frightening horses. The coaches were dragged into the station by a stationary engine.

Regaining Place In World Wheat Market

Great Increase Shown in Russia's Production and Export

Within five or ten years Russia will be again a major factor in the world wheat market. If the rate of increase in production and export from the U.S.S.R. is maintained. Before the war, Russia was the second largest exporter of wheat. During the past dozen years, of course, comparatively little has been coming out of the country, but recovery has proceeded so far that this spring exports have run as high as 750,000 bushels a week. As Russia has an even larger area of undeveloped wheat land than Canada, production can and will be still further increased; and as labor and land are cheap, the grain can be cheaply produced. "We will have to find some method of reducing production costs," remarks Nor-West Farmer (Winnipeg).

When Ignorance Is Bliss
"Let me see some of your black kid gloves," said a lady to shopman. "These are not the latest style, are they?" she asked, when they were produced.

"Yes, madam," replied the shopman; "we've had them in stock only two days."

"I don't think they are, because the fashion paper says, black kids have tan stitches, and vice versa. I see the tan stitches, but not the vice versa."

The shopman explained that vice versa was French for seven buttons, so she bought three pairs.

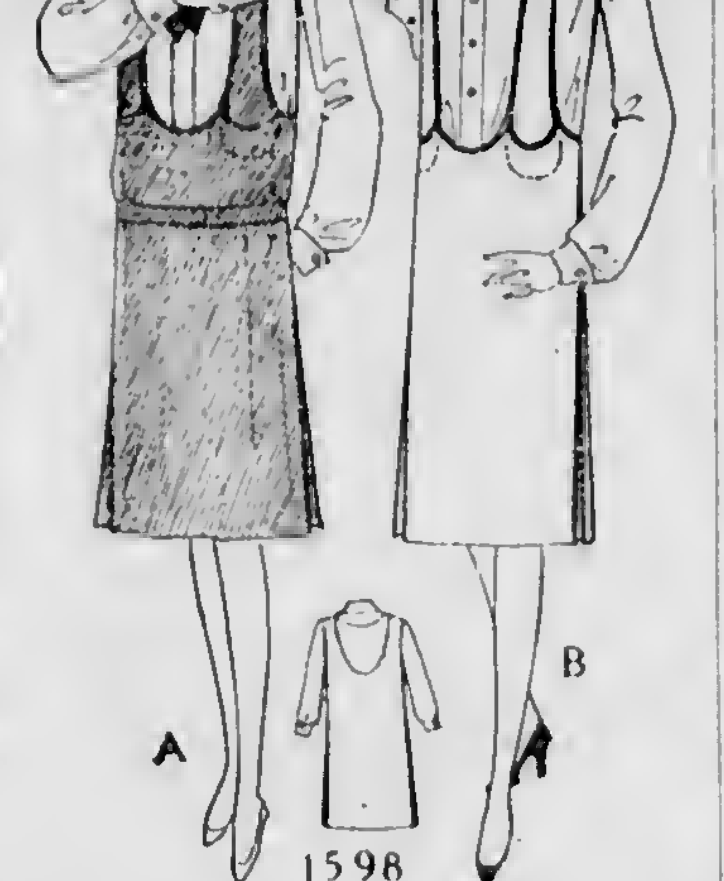
No man is smart enough to tell his own son anything when he leaves college.



John! What do you mean by getting in at this hour?
"Hush—'Sall right, m'love. I just hurried home 'cause I thought you might be lonesome, but I see your twin sister's staying with you."

A movement is under way in Japan for the passing of a law permitting women to be admitted to the bar.

Every man hugs the delusion that sooner or later he will invent something that will make him rich.



A New Suspender Skirt and Tailored Blouse

Of unusual smartness is the suspender skirt shown here. There is an inverted pleat at each side seam to provide for the necessary fullness and the back may be cut high or low. The straps are attached to the back at the shoulders and the lower ends are set under the top of the skirt to form pockets. No. 1598 is in sizes 36, 40 and 44 inches bust. Any size requires 2 1/2 yards 36 or 40 inch material. Price 20 cents the pattern.

The blouse has an applied yoke at the back, a centre front opening, long sleeves gathered to wristbands, a shaped collar and patch-pocket. The blouse is No. 1509 and is for Ladies and Misses and is in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust. Size 38 requires 2 1/2 yards 39 inch, or 1 1/2 yards 44 inch material. Price 20 cents the pattern.

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Legume Bacteria

Why Legume Inoculation Sometimes Fails to Benefit Crops

Under ordinary field conditions, the presence of the proper strain of legume bacteria in the soil is necessary for the successful growing of alfalfa or other legumes. It is therefore always essential to inoculate when there is any reason to suspect a scarcity in the soil of the bacteria associated with the particular legume being grown. There are times, however, when inoculation fails to benefit a crop. Such failure may be assigned to a number of different causes which are enumerated in a new Experimental Farm pamphlet which may be obtained from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

In a large number of cases the reason for lack of benefit from inoculation is that the soil has already been inoculated, and the additional bacteria consequently are superfluous. In other instances, where the crop growth is as poor with treated as with untreated seed, adverse climatic and soil conditions may be responsible. The proper treatment of the soil is very important and is fully described in the pamphlet. Good drainage and tilling are frequently necessary before a good legume stand can be established as they favor the crop, not only directly, but also indirectly by fostering the nitrogen-gathering bacteria. Inferior seed is a very frequent cause of failure. The use of hardy Canadian-grown seed is essential. In short it should always be remembered that legume bacteria are living things and to do their work properly must be in a suitable environment.

Was Somewhat Delayed

A postcard from a friend of boyhood days recently was received by Charles Swift, Brockton, Mass. The sender was implying if Swift knew the whereabouts of other schoolboy chums. Surprised, Swift glanced at the postmark, discovered that the card had been mailed March 21, 1883. It had been in the mails 44 years.

"John! What do you mean by getting in at this hour?"
"Hush—'Sall right, m'love. I just hurried home 'cause I thought you might be lonesome, but I see your twin sister's staying with you."

A movement is under way in Japan for the passing of a law permitting women to be admitted to the bar.

Every man hugs the delusion that sooner or later he will invent something that will make him rich.

Historic Fort Walsh

Caln and Tablet to be Erected at Old Mounted Police Post

At Fort Walsh, on Battle Creek in the Cypress Hills, June 15, a ceremony will take place when a caln and tablet erected by the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada will be unveiled. Fort Walsh, a Mounted Police post of the early days of the Northwest, was located about 50 miles southwest of Maple Creek and, though there is nothing there today to indicate there was a "fort," the spot is to be duly marked and recognition will be given one of the places which abound in historical lore of the '80's.

There is an old Mounted Police cemetery, the only visible remains of what constituted one of the important border posts of Indian days and fighting in the Northwest. In this cemetery is to be erected the caln and tablet to be unveiled June 15, when members of the Saskatchewan Government, members of the Mounted Police, members of the Historical Society of Saskatchewan and Judge F. W. Howay, New Westminster, B.C., will be present.

Where the "fort" once stood is now a ranch pasture. The cemetery, however, has always been kept fenced in, and the unpretentious markings above the remains of heroes of yesterday have been renewed from time to time by members of the South Western Saskatchewan Old-Timers' Association, who will take part in the ceremonies of June 15.

The caln is the usual standard monument, the pile of stones with a tablet. The inscription reads: "A post of the North-West Mounted Police, built by Inspector J. M. Walsh in 1875."

"In the Cypress Hills, where hunting bands of Blackfoot, Crees, Assiniboines, Saulteaux and Sioux met and fought, 102 officers and men, in 1876, imposed Queen's law on a fretful realm."

"Headquarters of Commissioner A. G. Irvine until December, 1882."

"The buildings stood about 229 yards west of this spot."

"Erected, 1926."

An Indian prince has his private train equipped with a large tobacco pipe, mounted in the locomotive, from which smoke is piped to each compartment for passengers' use.

The Buffalo News wants to know why so many Canadians are returning from the U.S.A. to Canada. They've had a close up of both and know now which is best.

He (after being accepted)—"And do you like travelling on Pullmans?"
She (blushing)—"Yes, with the proper reservations."



Canadian Maples for Canberra

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Canadian Minister of Justice, now away in Australia, is leaving a lasting result of his visit and of Canada when on July 1st, he will plant at the new Australian capital, Canberra, a maple tree and six maple saplings in commemoration of the Diamond Jubilee of Canadian Confederation.

The maple tree and saplings have already sailed on the crack Canadian-Australian steamship, R.M.S. Niagara from Vancouver and these gifts of the Canadian people to the Australians are entirely products of British Columbia, having been selected by J. Hsieh, librarian of the province of Victoria, and Alderman Frank Wood-

side, chairman of the Vancouver Diamond Jubilee celebration committee, in consultation with the department of agriculture for the British Columbia district of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and H. W. Brodie, assistant passenger traffic manager of the railway at Montreal, while the manager at Vancouver of the Canadian-Australian line, J. C. Irens, in addition to arranging for transportation, has promised that personal attention will be given the trees on board daily.

Great interest in the careful packing and shipment of these trees has been taken by C. A. Colwell, general superintendent for the British Columbia district of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and H. W. Brodie, assistant passenger traffic manager of the railway at Montreal, while the manager at Vancouver of the Canadian-Australian line, J. C. Irens, in addition to arranging for transportation, has promised that personal attention will be given the trees on board daily.

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Current Activities Indicate That Manitoba Will Soon Become Steady Producer of Gold

Cattle Imports From Scotland Permitted

Department of Agriculture Raises Embargo Under Certain Conditions

The situation in regard to foot and mouth disease in England has so greatly improved that the British Ministry has found it possible to remove its restrictions on the movements of cattle in that country. In view of this, and as Scotland has been absolutely free from the disease for six months, the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa now considers that it will be justified in permitting the importation of cattle, sheep, other ruminants and swine from Scotland under certain conditions.

An order has just been signed, says a statement issued by the department, permitting such importations from Scotland, provided that such animals must be embarked from a Scottish port, and, in addition to the usual health certificates, must be accompanied by an affidavit of the shipper that the animals so embarked have been in Scotland for a period of sixty days immediately preceding the date of embarkation. The animals must also be shipped on a vessel proceeding direct from Scotland to Canada, without touching at an English port, and they must be accompanied by an affidavit from the shipper to the effect that the feed taken on board for feeding these animals en route has been grown and stored in Scotland.

Each importation will be made under permit, issued by the veterinary director-general.

Necessity of Fresh Ground for Chickens

Yearly Changing is Now Recognized by Poultry Raisers

Poultry production in Canada has been in the past almost entirely a general farm proposition, writes George Robertson of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Under such conditions little attention was paid to the changing of the rearing ground for the chickens, as it was seldom that any ground was changed.

Even under the old order of things, "poultry sick" land was occasionally referred to, and backyard poultrymen had at times to give up the breeding of chickens for a time, in order to clean up their yards by the growing of garden crops.

It was not, however, until specialized poultry farming became more general and the keeping of poultry by intensive methods became common that the necessity for the yearly changing of the rearing ground became generally recognized.

It has long been known that chicks placed on new land that is, land over which poultry had not previously been running, would outgrow those raised on previously used land.

But the wonderful development of the "day old" chick business and the shipping of stock from one part of the country to the other, to say nothing of the tremendous importations from the United States, has made the spread of disease and internal parasites inevitable. To combat diseases and especially the spreading of internal parasites, a yearly changing of the rearing ground is essential.

The sooner farmers, and especially those who are specializing in poultry farming, realize the necessity for giving poultry a place in the regular crop rotation, the sooner will these troubles be under control.

Wife: So your client was acquitted of murder. On what grounds?
Lawyer: Insanity. We proved that his father had spent five years in an insane asylum.

"But he hadn't, had he?"
"Yes, he was a doctor there, but we saw no necessity of bringing that fact out."

Assistant — "I can't understand what made the lady so angry."
Doctor — "Never refer to a lady's big toe, son. Always say 'the largest of your small toes.'"

English history shows that when thievery was punished by death, pickpockets piled their trade among the dense crowds watching the public execution of pickpockets.

If there are no distant relations at a man's funeral it's a safe bet that he died poor.

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When a bride has been married about three months she begins to write home for the old clothes that she thought she would never be anxious to use again.

We are usually wrong, but we know that we are right when we say that if you want a thing well done, don't do it yourself unless you know how.

Mingelgrun: "I have lost my biggest creditor today!"
Kohn: "Has he died?"
Mingelgrun: "No I was forced to pay him."

A. H. A. Robinson, of the department of mines at Ottawa, writes that the next few months may mark the beginning of a new era in the history of mining in Manitoba. He says that for some years production records have credited the province of Manitoba with a nominal output of gold, practically all of it from prospect workings, and under the stimulus of high prices during the war a considerable amount of rich copper ore was mined and shipped; but the province has never attained the status of a metal producer in the ordinary acceptance of that term. Current activities in two widely separated fields, however, now indicate that Manitoba is soon to become a steady producer of gold and, later, possibly an important source of the base metals, copper and zinc, also.

In the northeastern part of the province, east of Lake Winnipeg, are extensive gold-bearing quartz deposits in course of development with very considerable reserves of ore of profitable grade, that is to say, of material that will average about \$12 per ton and having a total estimated gross value of at least \$1,000,000. A 150-ton mill is to be built, the material for this purpose having been taken in over the snow roads last winter. Construction will follow this summer and the mill should be in operation by the end of the year. Hydroelectric power will be used for mining and milling, this being supplied by the Manitoba Power Company from their generating station at Great Falls on the Winnipeg river, about 50 miles away. A high tension transmission line is now being built to the new gold field and it is expected that power will be delivered this spring. The availability of cheap hydroelectric power will be a great boon and will doubtless stimulate development on many properties throughout the district which has heretofore been handicapped by its isolated situation.

In northwestern Manitoba, a 20-ton experimental plant has been built north of The Pas, for the purpose of trying out a method of treatment adapted to the low-grade material. The plant is capable of treating 16,000 tons of ore carrying an average of 1.68 per cent. copper, 3.49 per cent. zinc, 0.074 oz. per ton gold, and 1.04 oz. per ton silver having been blecked out by diamond drilling, and as soon as a commercially feasible method of treatment has been developed in the pilot plant, the exploitation of this vast deposit will be undetachable on a large scale. It is estimated that the initial expenditure necessary to put the area on a commercially productive footing, including the building of some 85 miles of railway, will be in the neighborhood of \$12,000,000. A number of other deposits very similar in composition have been discovered throughout the district. The owners are only awaiting the outcome of the present experiment to undertake intensive development work on them also.

Federal Highway Grants

Last Fiscal Year in Which Federal Assistance Will be Given

An amount in the neighborhood of \$66,000 payable to the Government of Saskatchewan, has been authorized by order in council in connection with Dominion Government contributions to highway improvements.

This is the last fiscal year in which the extended program of federal assistance will continue. The grants will expire at the end of next March and having been extended for five years more than was originally contemplated, the system is not likely to be continued.

It is improbable that in view of this fact, the position of commissioner of highways, vacated by the recent death of Archibald W. Campbell will be filled.

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Make the best of the present if you are unable to sell or exchange it.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Reports from the north side of the Island of Jamaica said a heavy northerly storm had destroyed 25,000 banana trees.

Thirty-seven earth tremors were felt recently in Yugoslavia within 48 hours. Some lives were lost in panics caused by the quakes and considerable material damage was reported.

A memorial porch erected by the Canadian Women's Press Club to the memory of the late Col. George Ham, famous Canadian journalist, who founded the club has been unveiled at Whiffy, Ont.

Canada's flag floated over the Canadian location at Washington on Victoria Day. It was the first time that it was officially displayed in Washington, Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian minister, having used the Union Jack on previous occasions.

Professor Hugh Edward Egerton, noted authority on British colonial history, is dead at Oxford at the age of 72. Professor Egerton was professor of colonial history at Oxford for 15 years. He was the author of many books on British colonial policy and development.

According to a story in the Toronto Star, Captain Charles Lindbergh's family can claim relationship to William Lyon Mackenzie, and therefore the famous New York Paris flyer is related to Premier Mackenzie King of Canada. His grandfather was Charles H. Lind, born at Simcoe.

Milo Webster, 33, aviator and stunt flyer, plunged 4,000 feet to his death at Muskogee, Mich., in full view of his 64-year-old mother and a large crowd of spectators. Webster lost his grip on his parachute bar as the big bag opened. Mrs. Webster fell unconscious.

The effect that cinema forecasts, called the Northern Lights, has upon radio transmission is being studied by the National Research Council of Canada. The associate committee on physics and engineering of the council met at Ottawa and recommended that research work in this matter be undertaken.

Will Construct Seadromes

Landing Places for Aeroplanes to be Anchored in Atlantic Ocean

The Philadelphia Public Ledger says that an announcement was made by Edward R. Armstrong, inventor, of Wilmington, Del., that work would be started within 60 days on a test "seadrome," or landing field to be anchored in the Atlantic Ocean as a station for trans-Atlantic aeroplanes.

Mr. Armstrong was quoted as having said that plans were under way for the formation of a trans-oceanic flying organization. He intimated this organization might be headed by Captain Charles A. Lindbergh.

The test seadrome, The Public Ledger says, will be about 150 feet square, and will be anchored at a point 500 miles slightly north and east of New York. If the test proves effective eight full size seadromes will be built, each 1,200 feet long at a cost of \$15,000,000 each.

A New Building Material

A new material called ecotex is being made from the refuse of sugar-cane, and is being used in some parts of Australia for building houses. Some parts of the Federal Parliament House in Canberra have been built of ecotex, and model houses have been built at Canberra and other towns to demonstrate its value.

The skeleton of a gigantic animal that lived about 3,000,000 years ago has been discovered by engineers who are building a railroad between Turkistan and Siberia. The beast is believed to have been a saurian.

Canada has within its borders the largest inland sea after the Mediterranean—Hudson Bay. This is a Canadian Mediterranean, as large as three Baltics.

Lightning, instead of being flat and jagged, as it appears, really is spiral and wanders around and around in space before it exhausts itself or strikes something.

Research Laboratory at Lacombe

A research laboratory is to be established this year at Lacombe, for the purpose of making a survey of plant problems within the province.

The average man is more polite to people he never expects to meet again than to those whose friendship is really worth cultivating.

Coyotes will hunt silently for hours for field mice, a park naturalist in the West says.

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Extend Period Of
Aviation Agreement

U.S. and Canadian Airmen Cross
Border on Defined Conditions

The existing agreement between the United States and Canadian Governments by which aviators of either country may fly into the territory of the other under certain defined conditions has been extended until October 31. The extension of the agreement was accomplished by an exchange of notes between the State Department and the Canadian Legation.

The agreement has been in effect since 1922. It provides that when an American aviator desires to fly into Canada he shall give notice in advance to the secretary of the Canadian Air Board at Ottawa, giving the date of the proposed flight, the owner's name and address, the pilot's name and qualifications, type of machine to be used, the route and duration of the flight and the purpose for which it is to be undertaken. The procedure is the same for Canadian flyers desiring to visit the United States by air.

Recalls Romance of Boer War

Woman Despatch Rider Who Married
British Colonel Is Dead

By the death of Mrs. Katherine Vaughan, widow of Col. A. Owen Vaughan, of Dinas Powys, near Cardiff, Wales, a remarkable romance of the Boer War is recalled. Mrs. Vaughan who was a relative of President Kruger, was a skilled horse woman, and acted as a despatch rider for the Boers. Col. Vaughan, then leading a British force as a captain, was attacking a Boer post when the young Afrikaner woman dashed out on horseback to bring aid to the beleaguered. As she refused to stop, Capt. Vaughan shot her horse and captured the on-charge rider, whom, to his surprise, he found to be a woman. The acquaintance thus made led later to marriage. Col. Vaughan, who was better known as "Uncle Rhosomyl," a noted Welsh historian and novelist, died eight years ago.

A POPULAR MANAGER



T. E. Chester, Manager, Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina. Mr. Chester entered the service of the Canadian Pacific at the Empress Hotel, Victoria. He had been assistant manager of the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg, before coming to Regina.

Previous Atlantic Flights

Aviators Who Have Made Trip During Years 1919 to 1924

May, 1919 - The United States navy seaplane NC-1 flew from Newfoundland to Lisbon, Portugal, stopping at the Azores.

June, 1919 Captain Alcock and Lieut. Arthur W. Brown, British aviators, flew without stop from St. John's, Newfoundland, to Clifden, Ireland, 1900 miles.

July, 1919 British airship R-3, flew from Scotland to New York and from New York to Fulham, England.

August, 1921 - The United States round the world fliers crossed from Scotland to Iceland to Greenland.

October 12, 15, 1924 The Zeppelin ZR-3, now the Los Angeles, was flown from Friedrichshafen, Germany, to Lakeland, N.J.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JUNE 5

PETER PREACHING TO GENTILES

Golden Text: "For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, and is rich unto all that call upon him." Romans 10:12.

Lesson: Acts, Chapters 10 and 11. Devotional Reading: Psalm 67:1-7.

Explanations and Comments

1. How a Gentle was Prepared for Discipleship, verses 1-8. Cornelius was a Roman centurion in command at Caesarea. One night he had a vision in which an angel said to him, "Cornelius, thy prayers and thine alms have gone up for a memorial before God."

Then the angel bade Cornelius to send to Joppa for Peter, who was staying with Simon the tanner by the seaside. Cornelius was a Gentile, and Jews would not enter the homes of Gentiles. Yet Cornelius obeyed the command. He called two of his household servants and one of his soldiers, explained to them his vision, and sent them to Joppa.

"Great thoughts are in the air for those who are open-minded; noble impulses crowd the highways for those who are ready to receive and act upon them." - Hamilton Wright Mabie.

Not a "Vanishing Race"

Indian Population in Western Canada is About 35,000

From Ottawa comes the statement that the Indians are increasing in population. They are no longer a "vanishing race." In western Canada the total population today is about 35,000.

It is welcome news. We should wish the Indians well. These picturesque people form the genuine native race of North America. The descendants of ancient nomads who most probably entered the Western Hemisphere from the Orient across the strip of land that has now part of the Bering Straits, the famous Eskimos deserve the kindly fate which civilization has reserved for them.

IS CHIEF CLERK



Fred S. Smith, chief clerk, Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina, has been promoted from the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg. "Freddie" is reputed to know every man, woman or child who has been a guest at that hotel.

Made Remarkable Test

Sound of Human Heart Beat Amplified Ten Trillion Times

Washington. The sound of a human heart beat was amplified ten trillion times before the American Medical association, meeting in convention here. This was the greatest sound amplification ever achieved in history.

In the Washington auditorium building, hundreds listened spellbound while sound, like a giant treading a empty hall, filled the entire structure. Out in the street, pedestrians paused, their ears alert to what sounded like distant cannon fire.

The main purpose of the development of the instrument, an electric stethoscope, was the treatment of heart diseases.

Much of the goodness affected by humanity is cultivated.

Studying History
Of Canada

Knowledge of Dominion Best Equipment for Good Citizens

McGill University has decided to give a complete course in Canadian history for the first time in the record of that institution. The reason given for this is that the department of history feels the necessity of allowing students a chance of obtaining a broad general knowledge of the history of the Dominion. The history of Canada will be a third year course, following a complete course on the history of the Western Hemisphere. It is designed to enable the student here to grasp trans-Atlantic conditions, the family further states.

This is a step in the right direction, taken not before it was high time. These familiar with educational conditions in this country have often complained that students were taught far too little of general world history and geography; but surely it is the proper thing, and the right thing, for every student to know his own land first, and to know its history thoroughly. How otherwise can he fit himself adequately for the duties of citizenship and all they imply?

It is necessary to know what motives prompted the men who fought for freedom and liberty of ideas in the past in order to realize how Canada has grown to be what she is today. It is essential to have a clear conception of the ideal that lay behind the fight for Confederation in order to understand the problems this Dominion is facing today between East and West. A sound knowledge of one's own country is the best possible equipment for a citizen, whether he be engaged in a commercial or a professional career. McGill has moved wisely, and in the right direction, in this matter.

For Empire Unity

Premier Baldwin Says Empire is a Great Force for Righteousness

"We must devote our best energies in the years to come, Tory, Liberal and Labor alike, to make our unity such a reality that men and women will regard this Empire as one and it may become possible for them to move within its bounds to New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and Canada, as easily and freely as from Glasgow to London or from Bristol to Newcastle," Premier Stanley Baldwin declared in a Victoria Day address broadcast throughout England.

Mr. Baldwin appealed to all Britons to help make the Empire a great force for righteousness in the world. "The British Empire," he said, "is a spiritual inheritance which we hold in trust, not only for its members but for all the nations which surround it. Let us see to it that we hand it on to our successors with unfaded glory."

Signs of True Prosperity

Making Not Hoarding of Wealth Means More to Nation

Pathos and refinement are not symbols of prosperity, neither are palatial residences nor huge government buildings. For every million-dollar residence there will be a thousand hovels. The true signs of wealth and prosperity are growing crops, live stock grazing on the hill sides, the buzz of the saw in the forest, minerals coming to the surface of the working mines. It is the creation of wealth, not the hoarding of it, that brings prosperity to a nation.

Unusual Insurance Policy

A \$250,000 smile adorns the face of Fay Marbe, an American actress now playing here. In what is believed to be the first transaction of its kind, the actress has insured her smile for this amount with a British company. The policy provides that the insurance shall be collectable if at any time within the next ten years her smile loses its charm because of accident or illness. The amount of the premium was not disclosed.

Not a Judge

"You say the prisoner had been drinking?" said his worship to the policeman who was giving evidence. "Drinking what?" "Whisky, I think," replied the constable. "You think," stormed his worship. "Don't you know the smell of whisky? Aren't you a judge?" Came the reply: "No, I'm only a policeman."

The nightingale is no more interesting than the midnight cat to the man who wants to sleep.

Many a man who thinks that he thinks has a wife who does all his thinking.

Profrery is a wig often used to cover a bald character.

"THE SASKATCHEWAN," REGINA'S NEW C. P. R. HOTEL



Exterior of the new Canadian Pacific Hotel at Regina, "The Saskatchewan," which was opened on May 24th

An Old Chinese Custom

Remains of 400 Being Moved From Toronto for Ancestor Worship

The Chinese of Toronto are raising funds to exhume the remains of 400 Chinese buried in Ontario with a view to sending them to China for reburial there. Mr. Mark, of a Chinese publishing house, said that there would be at least 200 sent from Toronto, the entire cost being in the vicinity of \$12,000.

"It is an old custom," said Mr. Mark, and was connected with ancestor worship, the Chinese believing in the worship of the elders of their family. They believed in the spirit, that the man by virtue of the skeleton was depicted in his identity as an individual being when alive with the exception that the flesh had been dissipated by the magic of death. They believed that the spirit lived on somewhere, possibly in the skeleton, possibly not. But the bones were needed to be moved so that the heirs in China could worship them. They had to be buried there for this.

Prefers Coffee to Bone

Sunday, a Boston Terrier, owned by Allen Birdick, of the Police Department at New Canaan, Conn., is a genuine "coffee hound." He must have his coffee in a cup with a little sugar before he will consider even the most tempting bone.

The Twentieth Edition

McKim's Directory of Canadian Publications for 1927

The 1927 edition of McKim's Directory of Canadian Publications has just been issued and this publication no doubt, will be welcomed by national advertisers throughout Canada and the United States.

It is the twentieth edition—the first issue having appeared in 1892 and it has been the endeavor of the publishers at all times to make each number more complete and more dependable than previous editions.

In fact, this directory is accepted generally as a reliable source of information on Canadian Publications and is regularly consulted for Canadian geographical and statistical particulars twelve months in the year.

Stockyards For Saskatoon

The Edmonton Stockyards, Limited, have secured an option from the City of Saskatoon on 22 acres of land on Canadian Pacific Railway lines. The stockyards are expected to be in operation by the end of August.

Whirling women and children are bad enough, but deliver us from whirling men!

Fame may come to a man suddenly and go just as quickly.

Strange Sight in Berlin

Steeple Left in Basement Where It Fell 200 Years Ago

One of the strangest sights in Berlin, although unknown to most people, is a church steeple in the basement of an ancient house.

On August 28, 1734, the steeple of St. Peter's Church tumbled with a loud crash, pierced the roof and two floors of an adjacent house and landed in the basement.

Nobody ever bothered to put the tower back in place, nor even to remove it from its resting place. A new steeple was built and the damage done to the house repaired. The cellar, however, with its unique cargo, was simply locked.

Saskatchewan Egg Pool

It is announced that the new Saskatchewan egg pool, started April 16th, is to be a storage pool. A certain proportion of the eggs received in the pool will be placed in storage and the final payment will not be made until all the eggs have been sold. Members shipping to this pool will receive a statement showing the exact number of eggs shipped by them in the pool when the cut-off is made in six or eight weeks.

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United States Will Give Every Consideration To Canadians At Border

Washington, The United States Government has replied to Canada's note on the border tolling. It promises every consideration for Canadian residents working across the border during the six months in which they must try to conform to the United States immigration law and it conveys a virtual promise that British born Canadians who cannot get a place on the quota this year will be granted an extension of time. The note also promises continued study and co-operation with the Canadian legation to "clear up difficulties and dissatisfaction with regard to border crossing."

There will be a recommendation to Congress next session for the removal of anything inherent in the law "which tends to affect adversely the friendly relations between Canada and this country."

The note was delivered by Hon. Vincent Massey on May 29. It is signed by Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg, but in regard to both the extension of time and to the recommendations to Congress, Mr. Kellogg states that Secretary of Labor J. Davis has given assurances that his department, which controls immigration matters, will cooperate toward that end.

New York Financier Dies

Payne Whitney, One of America's Richest Men, Victim of Heart Attack

Manhasset, N.Y., Payne Whitney, financier, philanthropist, sportsman and one of the richest men in the country, died of a heart attack while playing tennis at his country estate, Greentree.

Mr. Whitney was 52 years old. He was the brother of Harry Payne Whitney, son of the late William C. Whitney, secretary of Navy under Cleveland. Estimates of the Whitney estate ranged in Wall Street from \$100,000,000 to \$150,000,000. In 1921 he paid an income tax of more than \$2,000,000, only John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Henry Ford, paying more.

Agree on Claims

Washington, The British and United States governments have agreed on a settlement of mutual claims and those of individuals against both governments for seizure of wartime shipping, but terms of the settlement are being withheld, pending an arrangement for publication of final notes ratifying the pact. The claims grew out of detention and search during the war on ship plugging of both countries suspected of carrying war supplies to the enemy.

Ferguson Willing to Co-Operate

Toronto, Premier Ferguson states that he would co-operate with the Alberta Trade Commission in the port pact laid before the Ontario Government by a delegation from Alberta that a national committee be organized to promote inter-provincial trade with special emphasis on the use of Alberta coal in the Eastern provinces.

Trade With U.S.

Canada Regarded by U.S. as Best Outside Field for Investment

Detroit, Mich., Business of the United States made an eloquent gesture of admiration for its neighbor in the north when the National Foreign Trade Convention turned over an entire session to Canada and Canadians.

Speakers with only one exception were Canadians. They spoke of their great commerce in hard wheat and pulpwood, of their other export trade and of the growing interest of Americans in Canada as attested by their investment of \$3,600,000,000 within the Dominion. Sixty per cent of all foreign investments in Canada came from the United States, the convention was told by Case R. How and of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, New York.

"We take it as a compliment," he added, "that Canada is regarded in the United States as the best outside field of investment, and we interpret it as an indication of the estimate placed by the United States upon the character and ability of Canadians."

Building New Telegraph Line

Work Will Commence at Once in Northern Saskatchewan District

North Battleford, Construction is in progress on a telegraph line between Loom Lake and Meadow Lake. The distance is 55 to 60 miles. The line will serve to link up the Meadow Lake country with the splendid farming sections farther west. It will be a means of communication for those northern people with the outside world, something they have not at present. On representation being made to the department by the Federal member an appropriation of \$8,000 was put through Parliament for the building of the line. The contract is ready to act at once on the building of the line. The offices to be established on the line will be set up just as soon as possible.

Postmasters' Convention

Regina, Sask., T. P. Murphy, Ottawa, superintendent of the equipment and supply branch of the federal post office department, will represent the postmaster-general at the forthcoming convention of the Saskatchewan Postmasters' association to be held in Regina, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 7, 8 and 9. About 150 delegates are expected to be in attendance.

Radio Typewriter

Regina, A typewriter capable of receiving radiophonic communications at great distances is to be tested between Regina and New York shortly. The machine functions automatically typing on ordinary paper, guided by radio waves.

Dr. F. E. Clark, Dead

Newton, Mass., Dr. Francis E. Clark, founder and president of the World Christian Endeavor Society, died at his home here.

Experiment Was a Failure

New Zealand Lost Heavily in Attempt to Control Price of Butter

Vancouver, New Zealand's futile attempt to fix the price of butter on the London market and the boycott by London buyers of more than a million boxes, or roughly, 50,000,000 pounds, that were allowed to accumulate in cold storage in Britain in April, have been factors in the shortage of butter supplies in Canada during the past five months.

The action of British merchants in buying butter from Argentina, Australia and Canada, while leaving New Zealand's price-controlled stocks severely alone, withdrew from Canada heavy supplies that normally would have been available for home requirements. It is said here.

As a result, Canadian butter dealers have been scrambling for immediate replacement for months, picking up stray stocks here, there and everywhere, some being brought back from London, some from Quebec, some imported from the United States, and a total of about seven million pounds shipped direct from New Zealand.

The lateness of the season in Canada has also been a factor in the shortage here, spring production being about a month later than usual.

Would Send Boys to Canada

Isle of Man Has Scheme for Community Settlement in Dominion

Montreal, Canada is the country to which the Isle of Man is looking for the settlement of her youth, said J. B. Crookall, J.P., mayor of Douglas and member of the House of Keys, who reached Montreal on the White Star liner Duple. Every year the Isle of Man has about 400 boys leaving school at the age of 11. A proposal is afoot to raise the leaving age to 15, following which the Island authorities would give them a course of training for one year to fit them for emigration. Mayor Crookall hoped that Manxmen in Canada would interest themselves in this project.

The mayor outlined a scheme he had for the community settlement of Manxmen in Canada. He proposed to send out two families to the Dominion. The Government would set aside a tract of land sufficient to provide for them, making the terms as easy as possible. About 80 per cent of these families would be agricultural.

The Favored Country

British Labor Leader Says Emigrants' Opportunities in Canada Best in World

London, Canada contains greater possibilities than any other country in the world for the right kind of immigration is regarded so as not to displace the existing workers. In the opinion of C. T. Cramp, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, who has just returned from a tour of the Dominion.

Mr. Cramp was struck by the "revolt of Canadian organized labor against the domination of American unions," and the "shudder movement among professional associations Canada's railways also came in for enthusiastic reference from Mr. Cramp.

Future of the Dominion

Ottawa, "Our grandchildren may even live to see the seat of Empire transferred to our shores," declared Dr. J. H. Coyne, of St. Thomas, president of the Royal Society of Canada, in discussing the Dominion's future at the society's forty-sixth annual meeting. "The future of our Dominion," he continued, "is in the whole bright with promise."

Investigating Plan to Use Sulphite Wastage

Scientists See Possibility of Making Substitute for Gasoline

Ottawa, Canadian scientists are investigating the possibility of the manufacture of a substitute for gasoline out of the wastage in the numerous sulphite mills throughout the Dominion. It was revealed at a meeting of the associate committee of physics and engineering of the National Research Council of Canada here.

The sulphite mills, it was declared, in the manufacture of pulp for news print are wasting at the same time tremendous quantities of liquor which is a potential source of alcohol. Properly designed motors have been found to operate efficiently on a mixture of alcohol and benzine.

The committee also recommended today that the national research council investigate steps to secure detailed information on the measurement of the ultraviolet rays given off by the sun. If it can be shown that great benefit is to be obtained from these rays then, it is recommended, that special glass should be used, and specially used in Canadian homes and other buildings. The health giving ultraviolet rays do not, in any great extent, pass through ordinary window glass.

Prize for Pacific Flight

Hawaiian Offers \$25,000 to First Aviator Making Non-stop Trip

Honolulu, The Star Bulletin, in a copyrighted article, announces that James D. Dole, president of the Hawaiian Pineapple Company, has offered a prize of \$25,000 to the first aviator and \$10,000 in the second flight to make non-stop flights from the Pacific Coast to Hawaii during the 12 months starting August 15.

New York, The Bellanca monoplane "Volunda," in which Clarence Chamberlain had hoped to be the first to fly to France, will be entered in the \$25,000 contest announced by James D. Dole in Honolulu. The Fokker monoplane "America," which also was "beaten to the post" in the Paris flight by Charles Lindbergh, may and may not try the Hawaii flight, it was said.

Great Interest Being Taken in Eclipse

English Railways Will Run Special Trains to Vantage Points

London, The eclipse of the sun which will be observed by a portion of England, June 15, is arousing such interest that railway and motor bus companies are preparing to carry thousands of excursionists to the favored spots across England where the view will be best. More than 100 special trains and hundreds of motor buses will carry their passengers to the largest open-air party ever known in England. Most of the participants expect to arrive at vantage points around midnight.

Memorial at Ottawa

Ottawa, A memorial to Canadians, resident in the United States, who served with the Canadian forces during the great war, will be placed in the main hall of the parliament buildings. The memorial is being donated by the Canadian Clubs in the United States.

Commemorative Medal

Paris, A medal commemorative of Captain Charles A. Lindbergh's New York to Paris flight will be struck by the French mint before the aviator leaves Europe.

Russians Given Ten Days To Leave London When Trade Agreement Ended

Scheme For Airline Floats Is Reasonable

Similar Plan Being Considered Between South American and Europe

Paris, Captain Lindbergh's idea of a system of relay floats for an air-line between New York and Paris is by no means unreasonable. Exchequer was told by the heads of the French government air service. They had reached these conclusions after a series of studies made by the department technicians.

Such a scheme, they pointed out, was being worked on by a private establishment, which believed it would be in a position to put into effect in the early future.

One of the big air transport lines is known to be studying a similar plan for a line between Europe and South America. Henri Le Frasse, noted engineer, published a complete plan of this nature two years ago, which included floating horse shoe docks into which seaplanes could descend.

Want Canada to Attend Air Meeting

Invitation to Attend Inter-American Convention is Suggested

Washington, Canada will be invited to join other countries on the American continent in an Inter-American flying convention. If the recommendation of Argentina carries the Pan American congress this year. At the commercial conference of members of the Pan American union, just concluded here, the Argentine delegate, Felipe Espil, recommended that the governing body of the union study ways and means of bringing Canada into the flying convention which all repudies on this continent have in mind. Mr. Espil's suggestion was placed in the record and will be considered by the governing board of the Union before the flying convention is concluded.

Better Labor Conditions

Ship-building on Clyde Creates Demand for Men

London, In a little over four months the number of unemployed workers in the Clyde district has dropped by one third. The improvement is mainly due to increased activity in shipbuilding and marine engineering. There has even been a shortage of labor for some urgent jobs, and employers have shown readiness to accept apprentices, a condition that has not been apparent for years.

Canadian Award for Service

Ottawa, A Canadian order to be conferred "for conspicuous public service or intellectual preeminence" is favored by the Royal Society of Canada. The Government has been urged to consider such an award.

Would Take Year Longer To Complete Bay Road If Churchill Is Terminal

Ottawa, Completion of the Hudson's Bay Railway by May of next year if the terminal is to be Port Nelson but about a year later if it should be Fort Churchill, was forecast by Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of railways. He told of how the work is progressing both as regards putting the existing line in shape for operation and also the new construction. The headway being made is considered very satisfactory.

As between Churchill and Nelson, the minister expressed no preference, stating the decision will be based upon the best expert advice obtainable. Mr. Dunning will accompany the British engineer, Fredrick Palmer, to both places at the end of July, and a number of high officials will also go along. Meanwhile, preliminary data is being collected while the investigation in conditions on the straits is under way.

"There is no rivalry between the two potential terminals," Mr. Dunning said, "because there is no point taken to agitate. At Nelson a caretaker and a few others are about the only white residents while at

Churchill there is only a Royal Canadian Mounted Police post. A large development, however, is foreseen when the road is finished."

Should the line go to Churchill, the road will not be completed into Nelson but deflected at a point 65 miles from there.

Meanwhile, a big rush to the north country is reported by prospectors, farmers, hunters, trappers, and all sorts of people attracted by the lure of the frontier. It has been necessary to put on a regular weekly service in place of the wayfarers being accommodated on the construction trains.

It also is announced by the Minister of Railways that the formalities have just been concluded for absorbing the Grand Trunk Pacific into the Canadian National Railway for corporate as well as operating purposes. The debenture holders all have agreed to the settlement, whereby their old securities were exchanged for the new ones authorized by Parliament last session. This adjustment removes a long standing grievance.

The British public does not appear to be greatly concerned over the severance of relations with the Soviet Government. Most of the concern is expressed in commercial and financial quarters where there is much anxiety over the extent to which the Soviet will carry out their threat to divert the trade hitherto given to Great Britain to other countries.

Except in labor circles it is not at all clear where the Soviet Government's action was fully justified in the proved subversive operation of Soviet agents, but the Liberal press and public raise the question of whether the course adopted was advisable or advantageous since, it is argued, it will tend to prevent the continuance of and British propaganda abroad.

Russia Mobilizing Troops

Tokyo, Despatches from Berlin to the continental new papers say the Soviet military commissar has ordered the mobilization of troops along the Far Eastern frontier, which is interpreted in some Soviet quarters as a preliminary to Anglo-Soviet hostilities.

The British consul at Harkiss is quoted as saying the operation can mean little more than a threat and is not serious.

Hon. R. Lemieux Honored

Rome, Reception and luncheon in honor of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, speaker of the Canadian House of Commons, and Madame Lemieux given by the British ambassador to Italy, Right Hon. Sir Roland Graham, was attended by several English and Canadian visitors in addition to a distinguished gathering of residents of the capital.

Further Activities Of Soviet Agents Have Been Brought To Light

London, It was stated in official circles that the names of hundreds of persons in Great Britain, including a number of members of Parliament, as well as persons more or less known in North America and other parts of the world, in addition to those published in the white paper, have come to the hands of the Government during its investigation of alleged Soviet activities.

So far as is known, the names of the members of the Parliament will not be made public, as it is understood the Government has no intention of taking what cabinet members consider advantage of their special information to further their case against the Russians.

In parliamentary lobby circles, however, it is thought likely the names may be made known to the leaders, which fact may have more or less bearing on the situation generally be used as a check upon certain may be used as a check upon certain sections inclined to oppose the Government's moves and decisions.

A Government spokesman attributed several Australian shipping strikes during the last two years solely to Soviet agents, who, he said, went to that country to spread propaganda, stir up trouble and further Moscow's aims.

The British Government made good its promise to publish some of the 15 documents alleged to have been uncovered in the recent sensational raid on Soviet House, in London, headquarters of the Soviet trade delegation, and Arco, Limited, the Russian commercial organization.

It issued a white paper containing the documents to illustrate, as the captain said, "the hostile activities of the Soviet Government and the third Internationale against Great Britain."

The most interesting part of the contents from an international if not from a British standpoint was a list of addresses allegedly found in the possession of Anton Miller, a Soviet cipher clerk, who Premier Baldwin told the House of Commons in his Tuesday's speech, was found hurriedly burning the papers in his office when the raiders appeared.

Ox-Tongue Falls, Lake of Bays



Throughout the Lake of Bays region of the Highlands of Ontario, delightful waterfalls of which Ox-Tongue Falls shown above is one, which the members of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association will visit when holding their 1927 convention at Bigwinlim, there are many other waterfalls of which Ox-Tongue Falls shown above is one. Canadian National Railway photograph.

Straw and Sawdust

Making Straw Pulp on the Farm and Tiles at the Saw Mill

Canada is a very progressive country and new inventions where practiced receive every encouragement here. It is not the newer countries that always lead the way, however, and the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, draws attention to very interesting reports from France, taken from its files of the Canadian Trade Commissioners in Paris in which it is told how two articles of practically no economic value here, have been put to use by the scientific and thrifty French, the two substances in question are straw and sawdust, substances which Canada possesses in possibly greater quantity per head of population than any other country. The two products which the French obtain from these raw and hitherto wasted materials are tiles and paper pulp. The processes are said to be simple and can be adapted to the farm or wherever the material is most cheaply available.

A process by which light and beautiful tiles may be made from sawdust (or sand) and inexpensive chemicals is said to be in successful operation, no plaster, lime or cement being used, nor heat nor pressing equipment required. The enamel is first spread over the mould, then the mass which has been reduced to a sort of batter, is poured over it till the desired thickness is reached and the whole allowed to set. In twenty-four hours the tiles are hard enough to remove from the moulds and within a week are ready for use. Tiles of any size or thickness may be made and reinforcing may be introduced if required. Many advantages are claimed for this product which in France is usually made from ordinary sand rather than sawdust. These tiles have the feel and appearance of ordinary tiles and take the same brilliant glaze and decorations and may be manufactured on the spot where they are to be used.

For many years straw has been a basic material for strawboard, corrugated and wrapping papers, etc., but the expense and the inconvenience of transporting the straw to the factory has been against its proper utilization. The new process it is claimed, makes it possible to transform the straw into pulp on the farm, thus saving freight and handling, since it required over three tons of dry straw to produce one ton of pulp. In addition it leaves an important by-product, oxalic acid. It is said that the plant required is inexpensive and the process sufficiently simple to permit of its being carried on right at the source of supplies without the necessity of complicated machinery or expert supervision.

The possibilities of these two processes should be of unique interest to Canadian farmers and wood-working interests. If they can be practically applied to Canadian conditions, and there is considerable evidence to show that the processes being tried out in France are practical, then a new and valuable source of income will have been indicated for two of the most basic industries in this country.

Poison Honey Taken

From Alpine Flower

Cattle Seldom Approach Blossoms Because of Injurious Effects

Pontic or poison honey is taken from the Alpine rose, a form of rhododendron whose blossoms give off an odor that causes dizziness in human beings. Cattle seldom approach the flower because of its injurious effects.

Pliny, in one of his works, wrote about this honey. Xenophon in the Anabasis tells of the trouble that befell Greek soldiers after eating pontic honey. Strabo also refers to it when he writes of the Hephalkomites overpowering Pompey's troops by placing honey-filled dishes along the paths taken by the soldiers.

Lady: "What are these plants please?"

Man: "They are tobacco plants in full bloom."

Lady: "How interesting! How long will it be before the cigars are ripe?"

Lorna Boone never lived and the romance of that name was founded on a myth, according to research workers.

If a man doesn't marry a woman because she is pretty or because she has money, it is pretty sure sign that he's in love with her.

Grand Manitoulin in Lake Huron was regarded as the home of departed spirits by North American Indians.

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Nicholas Flood Davin

A Notable and Unique Figure in Canadian Public Life

Among the brilliant galaxy of Old Countrymen who early in life came to Canada and adopted it as their country, was Nicholas Flood Davin, an educated and gifted Irishman, who for many years made the Middle West his home. With the exception of Chief Justice Haultain of Saskatchewan, and Dr. Brett, late lieutenant-governor of Alberta, he was the most conspicuous pioneer figure in that country.

Davin was born in Killybegs, Ireland, where his father's regiment happened to be stationed at the time, in 1842. He received a first-class classical education and in 1868, was called to the Middle Temple Bar. Journalism, however, was more to his liking and he began his journalistic career as reporter in the Press Gallery, House of Commons, London. During the Franco-German war he was war correspondent of the Irish Times and London Standard, being wounded at the siege of Mombay. A spectacular incident of his war experience was his escape in a balloon from Paris at the time of the brief Communist regime.

Having been thrown from his horse and injured while hunting, he came to Canada on sick leave, but liking the country and becoming interested in its politics, he decided to remain. His first engagement was the Toronto Globe as special writer on European topics and literary and social matters. He soon identified himself with the Conservative Party taking an editorial post on the old Mail, then the chief organ of the Conservatives. Having the gift of oratory in a special degree and a fine knowledge of public affairs, he took an important part in the National Policy campaign prior to the elections of 1878. He himself was an unsuccessful candidate for Haldimand.

In 1871 Davin was admitted to the Ontario Bar, and among his important cases was his defence of Bennett, who in 1889 assassinated the Hon. George Brown.

Subsequent to 1875 he was entrusted by the government with a number of important commissions. In the course of which he went to Winnipeg. The vast spread of the prairies appealing to his poetic imagination, and in 1882, the C.P.R. being in course of construction and the prospects at the "Pile of Bones," now Regina, bright, he there established the Leader, one of the first papers to be published in the territory at present comprising the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta. His influence was exerted to the full in directing the destinies of Assiniboia, as it was then known, both through his paper, and on the platform and in Parliament, to which he was elected for West Assiniboia in 1887, immediately after granting of representation by Ottawa to the Territories. In Parliament he labored strenuously for a vigorous immigration policy, the adoption of "Tariff Reform," as he understood it, and the encouragement of a national sentiment. In May, 1895, he moved a resolution declaring that full voting franchise should be extended to women the same as to men.

Though always a Conservative and a strong party man, he was at the same time too independent of views and too difficult of handling to be adaptable as cabinet member. As a wit he certainly has not been surpassed in the House of Commons. His literary talents and graces are reflected in half a dozen works, one of which was the "Irishman in Canada." He wrote poetry with ease and charm. Altogether, Nicholas Flood Davin was a notable and somewhat unique figure in Canadian public life.

Quite Easy to Find

Absent-minded Prof. Smith had left his berth in the sleeper to find a drink of ice water, and was hopelessly lost in the middle of the aisle. It was about midnight and the train was speeding through the country.

"Don't you remember the number of your berth?" asked the conductor.

"I'm—er—afraid not," was the reply.

"Well, haven't you any idea where it was?"

"Why, uh—oh, yes, to be sure." The professor brightened perceptibly. "I did notice one thing this afternoon that the windows looked out upon a little lake!"

"I had no idea," said Ethel to Edith, "that profanity was so rife until I drove a car." "Do you hear much of it on the street?" asked Edith. "Yes, nearly every time I bump into someone he swears dreadfully."

Plenty of faith should be mixed with the other ingredients in a doctor's prescription.

People are seldom on time; they are either early or late.

New Plane Safe As Liner

Could Cross Ocean in 16 Hours Carrying 170 Passengers Says Expert

Professor Rumppler, head of the Rumppler Airplane Construction Company of Dessau, Germany, who is considered one of the best authorities on airplane construction, believes transatlantic flights can be put on a commercially practical basis by building planes many times the size and power of the present ones. He states he has prepared plans for a machine capable of crossing the Atlantic in sixteen hours, carrying 170 passengers, and propelled by a battery of ten motors, each generating 1,000 horsepower.

His estimates show any four motors could cease to function without affecting the plane's lifting power nor would the speed be cut materially. He virtually discarded designs for a 100-passenger plane, planned a year ago, in favor of the larger craft, believing the present giant will seem dwarflike within a decade.

Professor Rumppler says he has worked for the last five years on his new plans. With a machine of this type trans-ocean flying would entail no more risks than crossing by liner, he believes. Even in case of a forced landing at sea the craft would be assured of comfortable living quarters until help was summoned by radio.

Air Machine Resembles Bicycle

Invention of Andover Man Is Not Yet Perfected

Julius E. Palmer, of Andover, England, an electrical engineer, has become known here as "bicycle man of the air."

Palmer for months has been making experimental flights with a one man propelled flying machine which is a rough design of an air bicycle which he hopes soon to perfect.

Numerous flights of a mile or more at the height of 30 or 40 feet have been made by Palmer in his "aerial bus" with fan-shaped paddles strapped to his arms and suspended by a small balloon.

"The air bicycle" which I am building," said the engineer, "consists of an aluminum frame weighing three pounds, suspended below a cigar shaped gas bag. To the front of the frame is a propeller, driven by gear and chain from the cycle pedals, and at the rear is an elevator and rudder."

Palmer estimated that he would be able to make about 25 miles an hour in still air with this machine.

Animals that occasionally are fed candy are much more easily handled than those which never have tasted sweets, says a Lig game hunter and zoologist.

It is difficult to settle a case in court while the litigants have any money.

It takes some pretty hard facts to make an impression on a soft-headed man.

Wealth in Dead Sea

Extraction of Mineral Salts Will Yield Rich Revenue

Once more the project of treating the Dead Sea for its mineral wealth is to the fore, and this time it has the solid endorsement of the British Colonial Office, which is going to grant a twenty-five year concession to a syndicate. The scheme is a simple one. The water is to be pumped into pans ashore, and there evaporated, leaving various salts as a residue. The separation of these salts would be a comparatively simple chemical process. In addition, the construction of forty miles of new railway through the Jordan Valley to connect with existing lines would be an essential to transportation of the salts recovered.

Salt has been taken from the Dead Sea by the most primitive methods for centuries, and sold in Jerusalem and elsewhere. In fact, the tribes of Bedouins who inhabit the arid region in which the Dead Sea lies have carried on a profitable business in the smuggling of salt for generations. It was a monopoly under the Turkish regime, but since the British occupation and mandate this has all been stopped. Even then practical, up-to-date, scientific organization, run on business principles, is likely to reap a rich harvest, as the waters of the Dead Sea are 25 per cent. salts, as compared with from 4 to 6 per cent. in ordinary sea water.

Make Success of Farming

Two Former Newspaper Women Enthusiastic Over Their Work

Miss Grace McGaw, of Vancouver, is an enthusiast over farming for women. A year ago she resigned her position with the publicity department of the Canadian Pacific Railway and joined Miss Dorothy Bell in a farming venture in the Ladner, B.C. district. Prior to this time Miss Bell had been a member of the Vancouver Province staff, and later associate editor of Maclean's Magazine and associate editor of a United States magazine published in New York.

Last year the two young farmers concentrated on bean growing. Their experiences provided them not only with a fair profit, but with material for an excellent story.

Mindful of the Future

The worst advice on China comes from many of the foreigners engaged in trading there. They are thinking only of their own interests, and berate their own governments for taking wider views. The British Government is being violently abused by this selfish element because it refuses to copy the old methods of gunboat diplomacy. It is mindful of the future when the good will of the Chinese people may be indispensable.

The Empire's most northerly town is Dawson in Yukon; its most southern town is Stanley, Falkland Islands, near Cape Horn.

Labrador has the most spectacular coast scenery in all America.

Making Canada Beautiful

Statistics Show Millions Spent Yearly on Flowers and Shrubs

Each successive year sees a considerable contribution made to the general beautification of Canada. Evidence of this is disclosed in a recent report issued by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics which states that 39,000 rose trees were purchased last year from wholesale growers in the Dominion alone.

Nine hundred thousand other ornamental trees and shrubs were bought from Canadian growers to be planted about the houses. Florists bought half a million plants and many thousands bulbs, and of the dozen varieties of cut flowers raised by florists, the flower-loving public took 15,000,000 plants, paying over a million and a quarter dollars for them.

These figures do not include imported plants and flowers, nor those raised by amateur gardeners, a vastly great showing. The figures are simply those of the wholesale trade which received over a million and a half dollars from the retailers and direct purchasers.

This was the first year of the inquiry, and there are hundreds of nurserymen who made no returns.

Armistice Blotter to be Auctioned

No Bid Under \$5,000 for Historic Relic Will be Considered

Doubtless the most valuable piece of blotting paper in the world is one which is presently to come to the auction block and for which it has been announced no bid of less than £1,000 will be regarded.

It is the blotting pad which lay on the writing table in the saloon car of Marshal Ferdinand Foch, on November 11, 1918, near Rheims, in the forest of Compeigne, and upon which was signed the armistice which ended the World War. Upon it, entirely legible, though, of course, needing to be held before a mirror for normal reading, are the transferred signatures of Marshal Foch, Admiral Wemyss and Matthias Erzberger.

Only a "scrap of paper" and blotting paper at that; but it is likely to hold a high place among historical treasures.

Largest Squared Stones In Syrian Ruins

Monster Blocks Were Used in Building Temple of Sun

The largest squared stones ever used for building purposes are those found among the wonderful ruins of the Temple of the Sun, at Baalbek, in Syria. In one of the walls, 19 feet above ground level, there are three monster blocks, all over 63 feet in length and 13 feet in height. Their width is not known. In a quarry nearby is another giant not separated entirely from the rock. It is 69 feet in length, 14 feet in thickness and 17 feet in height. The weight of this monolith, incorporated in the temple, is estimated at 1,500 tons.

Tibetan Books Are Artistic

Long Narrow Pages Unbound Lie Loosely One Above the Other

Tibetan books are printed from wooden blocks on very fine half-colored paper manufactured in the country from the bark of a certain shrub. The pages are long and narrow. They are not bound into a volume, but lie loosely one above another. When not in use, the leaves are enclosed in two wooden slabs, which are often finely carved, and tied with silk ribbons. The whole is wrapped in a beautifully embroidered silk cover. The sacred books of Tibet, produced in this way, are regarded with the greatest reverence.

Marvels Yet to Come

Inventions, indeed, are following one another so fast that the imagination is left behind in wondering what marvels lie in store for us. We need not suppose that wireless and electricity have as yet revealed nearly all their secrets or that what has already been discovered is any more remarkable than what remains to be discovered.—London Daily Mail.

Florence—"How do you like the looks of young Zipper?"

Betty (sighing)—"He never gives me any."

The northern part of the vast province of Quebec is little known, but is believed to hold vast and varied resources.

Jerry—"Saw Bill today."

Ted—"What did he say?"

Jerry—"Nothing." His wife was with him.

Many a young man doesn't know he is in love until the girl in the case hands him the information in a diplomatic way.

Dual Purpose Cow Is Best

Type Needed Will Come Near Old Durham of Generation Ago

What is a farmer's cow asks the Farmer's Sun and answers: All of us have seen or heard of the old-fashioned "Durham" cow of our father's or boyhood days—the cow that filled the pail and produced a real beef calf besides. What if her production was away behind that of the modern Holstein milking machine, or the beef not so evenly laid on the backs of her steer offspring as we see it on the wonderful Little Shorthorn, Angus and Hereford babies at the "Royal" and C.N.E.? She was a real farmer's cow, and responsible for ridding many a hundred acres of its cumbersome mortgage. Moreover, there is a demand throughout the country right now for just that type of cow.

If our beef cattle breeders would give more attention to developing a genuine dual-purpose type of beef cows, farmers would be more likely to become interested in using good, pure-bred stags. There has been no money in raising the modern type of beef animal during the past few years. We realize that there will shortly come a time when beef breeds will be in demand, but even then the type that will command the farmers' attention will be the one that comes nearest the old Durham cow of a generation ago.

Too many breeders pay more attention to "family" than to usefulness in their stock. "Get hold of a good cow's tail, and hang on intelligently," was an old auctioneer's advice, and it was never more true than now, when the poor cow, the low producer and hard feeder, is losing her owner's money every day, and when real producing cows can be secured for reasonable money. It seems that the cow most suited to the average farmer where dairying is not the main source of revenue is the dual-purpose type. Good milkers can be found in all breeds, but breeders of the pure-bred beef breeds are wise who select their stock with a view to supplying the farmers' requirements of dual-purpose cows. Shorthorn breeders are to be congratulated on having made greatest progress in this respect. Angus and Hereford men must awaken one of these days and realize that the demand is for milk as well as for beef.

Palestine a New Transvaal

Immense Wealth Still in Ophir Says British Navy Officer

After a search lasting twenty years, a British naval officer, Commander C. Crawford, declares he has discovered the lost lands of Ophir, whence the Queen of Sheba brought to Solomon her magnificent gift of thirty-three tons of incense, spices, gold, jewels, apes, peacocks, pearls and other valuables. Lecturing in the United States Institution, Commander Crawford said he found the city of Ophir exactly where it ought to be—in Arabia, about 400 miles east of Aden.

The city, with its ruined temple of God, is now little more than ruins, which have been visited by many seamen and political agents, he said, but they have never identified it. The commander suggested that excavations on the site would be richly repaid, and said that the land, which was mineral wealth, should be developed.

"The city is ideally situated," he said. "It has a harbor to the north and has a river which gives wharf space for a seaport. But a thin ribbon of coral sand is drawn across the harbor mouth. It is this strip of sand that strangled the life of Ophir. There is great wealth in Ophir still."

"Palestine now is the Palestine of King Saul. It lies in our power to develop the land to the prosperity of Solomon. There are gold mines and precious stones in the ground, a veritable Transvaal there."

Plans Flight Across Pacific

Captain Frederick A. Giles, former Royal Air Force officer, has come to Vancouver from Australia to make plans for a flight across the Pacific this summer. Cpt. Giles has been pilot of an air service between Sydney and Adelaide during the past three years, and is an experienced airman. The proposed trans-Pacific flight will be from Vancouver to Sydney, by way of Honolulu, Suva, Fanning Islands and New Orleans.

Poultrymen Coming From U.S.

Two thousand poultrymen from the United States will attend the forthcoming World's Poultry Congress, July 27th to August 4th, according to Dr. Matorey O. Jull. The delegates will be headed by the Hon. W. M. Jardine, secretary of Agriculture, officially representing the Government. He will be accompanied by Assistant Secretary R. W. Dunlop. Some 25 states are participating.

The Home of Fighting Fish



Algoquin Park, in Ontario, is known wherever fishermen foregather as the haunt of fighting fish, and each year its waters are attracting more and more anglers in search of real sport. When the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Editors hold their annual convention at Algwin Inn this year many of them, it is expected, will make side trips to Algoquin Park to enjoy fishing trips—Canadian National Railways photographs.

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Strange Romantic Love Adventures of the Flapper you know

Joanna

by H. L. GATES

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CHAPTER XXXVI Continued.

The man to whom Graydon talked went over to the table where Eggleston sat, his head set well down into his shoulders. Other men stood at the table, too, important men they seemed, of the importance that is marked by large achievements. Among them was a noted sculptor. And an artist, and two or three famous individuals.

On the massive table, between them and the banker, and where John's blueprints once had been spread by Joanna, a glistening white model stood, the miniature of an imposing structure of great halls and marbled columns reaching upward to a gold dome. Above the dome a figure poised, a slender figure that seemed to impersonate some ineffable joyousness. The sculptor, one whose name he had heard, passed his fingers lovingly over the delicate form destined later, to be translated into marble. This part of the model was his handiwork. He was proud of its association with the monumental structure it was to embellish.

Eggleston, who had watched quietly observed.

"That was her idea. She explained it to me across this table when she brought me the dream her young friend had been hatching her about. She said memorials ought to have life in them, instead of death." The banker chuckled, and the sternness in his eyes softened. "She said the usual kind of memorial always made her mad because they reminded her of so many people who weren't dead that ought to be!"

Foreman, chief of the firm which had sponsored John, broke in.

"So it was she, after all, who converted the soldier as always stirred to valor by the kiss of a girl, or of a woman who is still a girl to him? Yet you compelled me to get the conception across my desk to young Wilmore as if it were my own. He fought against it, for a time, but the grandeur of it came to him suddenly. Shall we tell him today?"

"No," Eggleston replied. "It will be sufficient for him to learn, from us, that the money with which he has worked this model out, the plan that prompted his idealistic plan and translated his blueprinted dream into this step toward reality, came from her—that this was how she used the money I gave her but

which remained so much a mystery to her.

After a brief pause the banker added, dryly.

"Whatever else there is for him to know I imagine she'll tell him. If she wants to."

Brandon, who was talking with Graydon, turned to meet Eggleston's eyes fixed on him with a quizzical expression in them. Brandon nodded.

"Yes," he observed, "she'll have many things to say to him, I fancy. For his sake, I hope she doesn't say them with a champagne bottle."

The ancient butler, whose years had flowed with those of his master, entered unobtrusively and went up to the table.

"The young lady has arrived, sir," he announced.



"It will be quite all right, won't it?" she asked brightly. "I ask you to share me, with him."

There was instant stillness. All in the room looked inquiringly at the banker, who made a sign to Graydon. The butler went out. A moment later Joanna, suddenly startled by the faces turned toward her, was framed in the doorway. Graydon went up to her and took her hand, gently, and led her into the room. He announced to the company, simply:

"This is Joanna!"

One by one the important seeming men pressed upon her. Dazed, bewildered, fighting for some kind of understanding, she heard the murmur of words—words, words! Each man took her hand and pressed it and said to her words! They came back to her; they spoke earnest compliments; they uttered senseless things she couldn't follow. And as each one bowed and left her he passed out of the room until, at last, there were only Graydon, Brandon and Eggleston.

At Brandon's lips she saw the old smile, the old smile, but different. And she saw the same lights in Eggleston's eyes she used to detect in them when they sat across the table together.

"Please!" she pleaded. "What does it all mean?"

Brandon faced her.

"It means," he said, "that things are going to be straightened out. For me, the best it means is that you are to know that both you and I were playing a game and that, because you won, that night on La Turbie when I had the bandit thrust you back into the club house, nobody is happier than I."

He left the room then, with Graydon. Joanna faced her banker alone. Eggleston rose and walked around the table to where she stood, still gripped in the spell of her bewilderment.

He led her to the fireplace and, taking her by the shoulders, turned her around so that she faced him. Above her the canvas image of the girl in the gold frame looked down. The banker went back to his chair at the table. For a long time neither

spoke. Joanna stood almost motionless, her face deathly white. Eggleston gazed at her and she saw that his eyes wandered from her face to the painting over her head, and then back again. At last, he said:

"Your money, my dear, was from me. It was I who was your mysterious benefactor, and it was I who determined that there should be no conditions attached to your gift. I wanted to know how you—a girl of today—would go; which way you would turn. If left to your own resources.

"It was because of a silly old man's romance—a romance of young days when, people have said, young girls were different. The one in the painting above you was she to whom I made my promise that I would make her happy and rich. She didn't live— even to marry me. So I've lived alone. The fortune came, but all that I've had of her is the memory in the painting there.

"I've a lot of money, my dear; so have all my relatives. I've had the whim, in late years, to leave a great deal of it to someone who can carry on, when I'm done, for the girl up there who has carried on with me. But I've never had confidence in any of you any of your young people of these days. I admit I couldn't understand you. Your friend, and my friend, Graydon, told me I was a fool. He claimed to know you all because he knew so many of you. In the store, he told me of you, of a Miss Twenty-seven, who, he said, recalled to him the painting over my fireplace. Well, that's about all. We decided to try you out and we have. I thought it would cost me a million dollars. In steel I have profited. It has given me. If you will have it that way— you! I know, now, that you can carry on for her.

There was much more that Eggleston said; many things that quivered on his lips. Shadows and laughter and much of wonder moved in changing procession across the deep brown eyes of the girl who crumpled at his feet. But the things he said were the useless foolish things that people say when they have much to tell each other of themselves alone. When they spoke of anything else it was of the model on the table, and of how the money had been secretly spent at Joanna's request to make fulfillment of the promise of it.

Or of Brandon and Wynne.

"In a way of his own planning he only tested you, and it was with my encouragement," the banker said. "He, like me, was skeptical. He pressed to know you girls of today. He admits he didn't know you at all. I kept from him the secret of your use of my money. I allowed him to test you to the end."

"That was why, then," Joanna observed, "he threw me into the companionship of Wynne? I've known there was a reason. I've wondered over it. I think she knew, for I've always realized she was leading me up to things, showing them to me, and then saving me from them."

He nodded gravely. "Yes," he mused. "I have the impression that one may be profoundly mistaken about many of the world's famous characters."

Into the silence of the library the old butler intruded.

"Mr. Wilmore has come, sir."

Joanna, with a sudden catch at her breath, rose. For a moment she looked up into the face of the girl in the painting, the girl of yesterday.

"If you wouldn't mind," she said quietly, her face pale again, "I'd like to see him in here—alone."

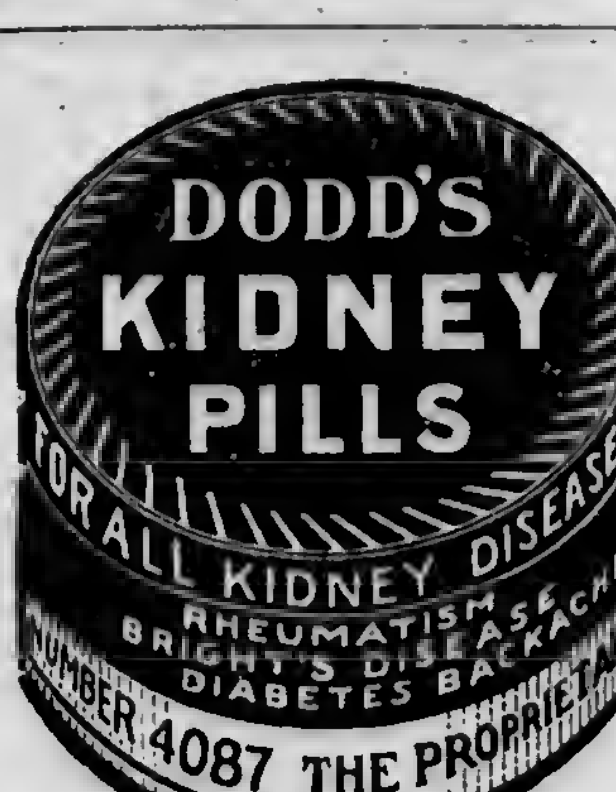
At the door Eggleston felt her hand on his arm. He saw that the color had come back into her face and that she was smiling up to him.

"It will be quite all right, won't it?" she asked brightly. "I ask you to share me, with him."

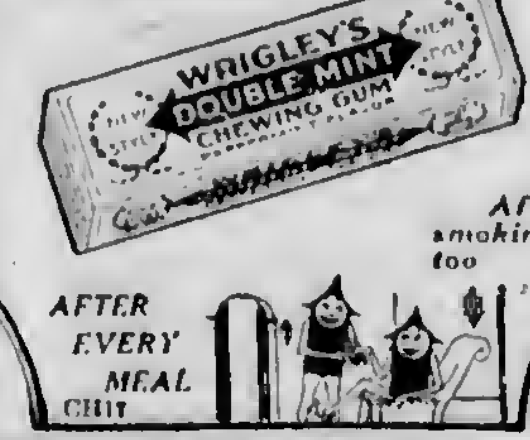
And that was Joanna, Joanna of the deep brown eyes and the shimmering gold brown hair; Joanna of the skirts too short and the lips too red and the tongue too pert. She is the girl next door, or, at the farthest, just across the street. Nothing more, and nothing less, than the Modern American Girl.

THE END

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"You speak of this city," he said "as having been in the past, one of the frontiers of romance and adventure, and you say that it has happily not yet lost its distinctive features. I trust it never will, for however conditions may change, it is always well that the romance and adventure of the past should remain with you, and that you should always keep in mind those early pioneers who laid the foundations of your great and increasing development."

Calgary appreciates the sentiments uttered by His Excellency. Happily we have many of the pioneers of Alberta with us. This city does not neglect them. It holds them in respect and affection. They still play their important part in all activities that may contribute to the furthering of the welfare of the city. In deed, they look upon the city as they have the right to—as their child, and their fostering care and interest still surround it.

They have witnessed its growth from birth and through all the anxieties and setbacks of youth to its present maturity and assured position.

They can have a special pride in the city that they founded. But the younger citizens now more actively carrying the burden are not disposed to dispense with their advice and their cooperation. The Herald knows of no city in Canada where youth and age more unitedly or more enthusiastically work together for their home city, the latter for the city which they helped to create, the former for the city which they are striving to make the finest possible memorial to the brave spirit of the pioneers who founded and nourished it. Calgary Herald.

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Seek Data on Kish-Dwellers

Supposed to be People Who Constructed First City Built After Flood

One of the most alluring problems of archaeology, the origin and history of the ancient Sumerians, a round headed, non-Semitic people who are credited with constructing Kish, believed to be the first city built after the great flood, may be solved next year by members of the Field Museum (Chicago) University joint expedition into Mesopotamia.

This has been predicted by H. C. Davies, director of the Field Museum, in a statement telling of the expedition's achievements in archaeological discoveries during the past five years.

Twenty-five feet under a Sumerian temple, the party discovered the ruins of ancient Sumerian construction, built of brick, as well as ancient sculptures and painted pottery. For five years the expedition has labored under the burning Mesopotamian sun, in search of historical remains of the mighty kings of Kish, who ruled the destinies of the earliest known civilization.

Next year, the excavators hope to make a thorough search beneath the temple to find authentic records of the Sumerians.

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Hen on B.C. University Farm Pays Well For Her Keep

That eminent representative of the White Leghorn family, popularly known as "Maize," but officially designated as "Hen 6," on the roster of the University of British Columbia Farm, continue to merit and receive the appreciation of the poultry. She is the gifted producer of 351 eggs, in 365 days, a world record, and the output of her genius sold so far has brought to the farm \$1,325, while reservations totalling \$1,275 are on the books.

Maize presides over the world record pen, having for her associates four other hens, each of which has conferred on civilization at least 300 eggs in a year. The eggs with which they reward their protectors fetch from \$5 to \$10 each, and descendants of the occupants of the pen are domiciled in all parts of the Dominion, and the United States, engaged in the upbuilding of the poultry industry.

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Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Might Have Had Millions

Prospector Sold Rich Gold Mine in Australia for Thirty-five Pounds

Death has occurred at Port Adelaide, Australia, of a Fraserburgh native, James Henderson Cranna, who but for the irony of fate might have possessed world-famous gold mines.

In the early sixties he and Dan O'Leary, an adventurous Irishman, located the goldfields of Mount Morgan, Queensland, but owing to financial straits sold out for £25. The mines have since produced £200,000,000 worth of the precious metal.

Cranna at 17 sailed for Australia in the 901 ton barque Scotia.

At Durban the crew were arrested on suspicion of smuggling and thrown into jail.

They received compensation for false imprisonment from the Natal authorities.

In 1841 they got to Australia and made for the bush, where they were lost for five days. The boiling sun caused such intense thirst that they killed opossums and drank their blood.

After giving up hope they struck the Murray River, which meant life and civilization.

While bullock driving Cranna met O'Leary and they were the first to cross the continent of Australia from side to side in quest of gold, and innumerable risks from water famine and numerous natives.

They located many fields which have since become the richest in the world, but always sold out for paltry sums to raise money, even selling their belongings for food.

Immigration From Holland

A steady increase of immigration from Holland into Canada and a steady flow of capital from that country into the Dominion were predicted by F. M. Wachter, Managing Director of the United Trans-Atlantic Mortgage Co., of Rotterdam, on the occasion of a business visit to Calgary. His firm has about \$10,000,000 invested in Canada.

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In shutting none out of our sympathy, in the willingness to help and to be helped by all, we are here beginning like children to climb the foothills that lead to immortality. The self-absorbed, the unsympathetic, the unloving have lost their way, and are on the downward path; no light from the eternal life is reflected from their faces. Lucy Larcom.

Had Wonderful Collection

Known as the "Butterfly King" because of his hobby of collecting butterflies and moths, Albert E. Burton, a railway porter, recently died at Worthing, England. He left a collection of nearly 5,000 insects gathered from all parts of the world and arranged in artistic designs. The collection is considered to be one of the finest known.

It Will Relieve a Cold. Colds are the commonest ailments of mankind and if neglected may lead to serious conditions. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will relieve the bronchial passages of inflammation speedily and thoroughly and will strengthen them against subsequent attack. And as it eases the inflammation it will usually stop the cough because it allays the irritation in the throat. Try it and prove it.

Big Land Purchase

The purchase of 1,320 acres of land for about \$60,000 for settlement by a party of Northern Europeans has been put through by the Canada Colonization Association. Situated nine miles east of Yorkton, Saskatchewan, this piece of land will be farmed by five families of twenty-five persons. The settlers are all trained agriculturists and are taking possession at once.

Alberta Coal Office for Toronto

Howard Stentbury, Trade Commissioner for Alberta, and W. W. McEwen, of Edmonton, have gone to Toronto to open an Alberta coal office for Ontario.

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News Notes

Bazaar and Pantry Sale will be
held by the Stake Primary, Sat-
urday, tomorrow at 11 p. m. at the
Mercantile Store. All are invited.

Under the direction of the Ray-
mond Women's Institute on June
5th Miss Emmerson of Edmonton
conducted a most successful baby
clinic. There were 87 children
examined and charted, each mother
receiving advice and diet cards for
her little ones. There were a few
cases of malnutrition noted, and
quite a number needing attention
for tonsils, adenoids and carious
teeth. The Institute will use their
influence to have a two day clinic
at Raymond in the future as five
children were turned away without
examination. Last year there
were 78 children examined and
two nurses were in charge. Nurse
Emmerson was alone this year and
did remarkably well to handle the
clinic with what little assistance
the local officers of the institute
could give her.

Mrs. W. W. Rogers, supervisor
of the Women's Institute Girl's
Club at Warner, motored over to
Raymond on June 4th to help
organize the W. I. Girl's Club at
Raymond. Mrs. Mary Kimmett
was appointed supervisor with
Miss Natrona King as president,
Muriel Webster, vice president,
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News Notes

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evening from Salt Lake City,
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versity.

The next meeting of the U. F.
W. A will be held at the home of
Mrs. Amanda Nilsson next Thurs-
day. Program: Community sing-
ing. Current events by Mrs. B.
Nilsson. Piano solo by Mrs. Paul
Dahl. Reading by Mrs. A. Nils-
son. Address by Mrs. W. Nalder.
Lesson conducted by Mrs. J. H.
Walker.

R. W. Tollestrup now drives a
new Oldsmobile.

T. K. Roberts has been awarded
contracts for the erection of a
house and barn for H. Hironaka,
and additions to the residences of
Wm. Clenis and J. Hervey.

Although a large number of
towns throughout the province
are planning to celebrate the Di-
amond Jubilee of the Dominion in
fitting style there are as yet no
plans laid for celebrating Domini-
on Day here. It is almost un-
thinkable that this event should
pass unnoticed in this community.
To not celebrate the 60th anniver-
sary of Confederation would be a
distinct blow to our reputation as
good, progressive Canadians. By
all means let us mark this anni-
versary with a real two-day cele-
bration. There is still time to
make plans if only local officials of
the trade board and council will
take action.

The attention of the Recorder is
called to the fact that at least one
district road is dragged regularly.
This road is that which extends
south past the Card farm. Farm-
ers in that section are fortunate in
having a councillor who looks after
their interests, and sees that they
receive some return for the taxes
they pay. This road, it may be
pointed out, is one of the least-
travelled in the municipality. If
farmers in other sections would in-
sist that their roads be attended to
the whole district would be im-
mensely benefitted.

That a further payment of 50
cents a ton on last seasons beets
on June 25 has been announced by
Manager T. G. Wood. This pay-
ment will total \$20,000, and
brings the ton-price to \$7.25, an
increase of \$1.35 over the previous
year's price.

Wayne Hawk accidentally shot
himself through the hand last
week.

A bunch of keys were lost at the
Ball park during Wednesday's
game. Kindly return same to the
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"Easy Pickings" and "Bill
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Deposit with Central Gold Reserve . .	19,000,000.00
Call and Short loans on Bonds, Deben- tures and Stocks	149,695,272.31
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities	90,007,661.84
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian . . .	28,605,880.60
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	3,935,421.19

Quick Assets . . . \$427,990,376.52

Loans and Discounts and other Assets .	332,496,996.71
Bank Premises	11,800,000.00
Liabilities of customers under letters of credit (as per contra)	11,825,400.79

Total Assets . . . \$784,112,774.02

LIABILITIES TO PUBLIC

Notes in circulation	43,266,298.50
Deposits	656,578,714.64
Letters of credit outstanding	11,825,400.79
Other liabilities	10,398,133.87

Total Liabilities to Public . . . \$722,068,547.80

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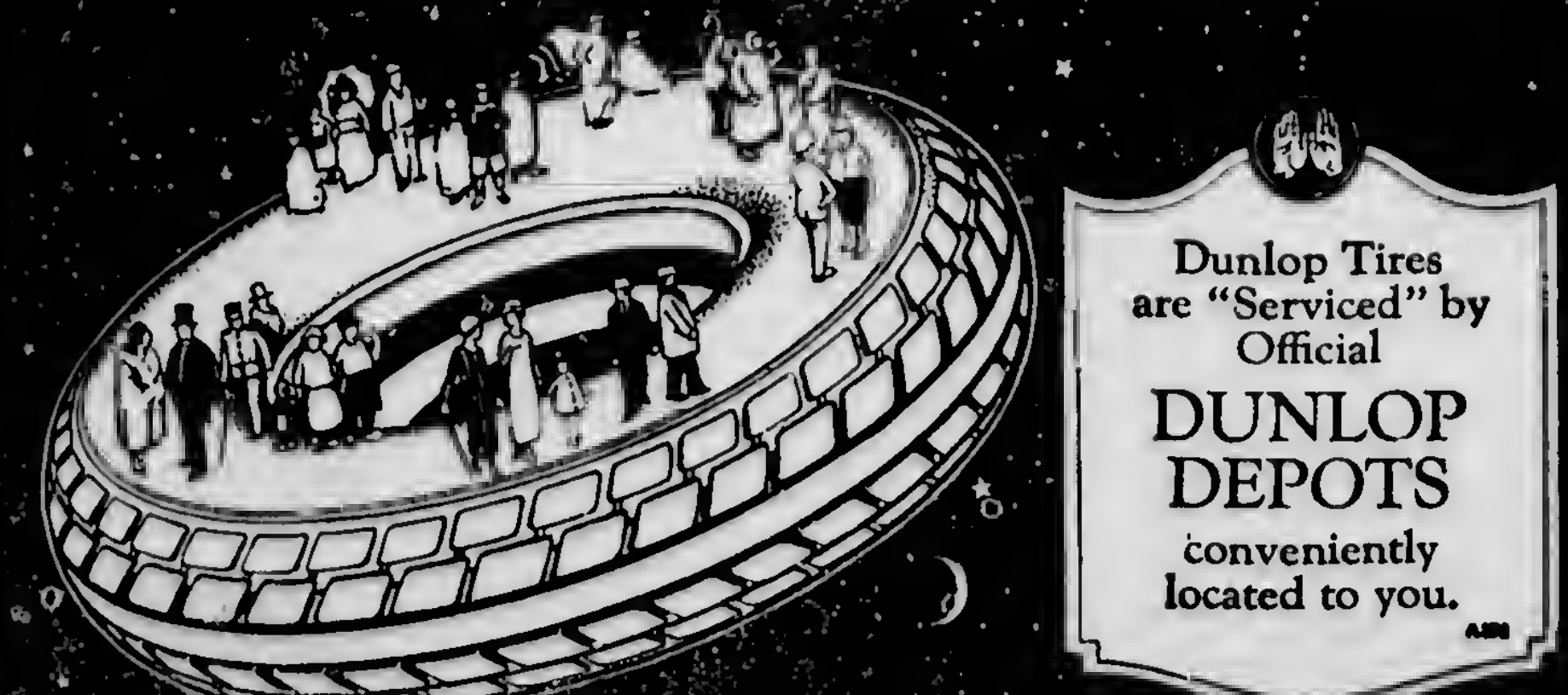
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